

Appendix 4: Safety audit checklist 4

Development Proposals

Scheme Name

Audit Carried out by:

Date

For detailed proposals access to the existing highway should be referenced to the appropriate junction type checklists, as set out nos. 3 (i) to 3 (v)
The more general items in the checklist below may be used where appropriate to the development proposed.

Item No.	Description	Satisfactory	Query	Comments
1	Horizontal Alignment Is visibility satisfactory at proposed access Are curve radii and forward visibility satisfactory? Are verge widths satisfactory?			
2	Vertical Alignment Are gradients satisfactory? Are sight and stopping distances maintained?			
3	Parking Provision Is on site parking adequate to minimise on street parking and associated risks? Are parking areas conveniently located, with adequate turning facilities?			
4	Servicing Facilities Are off street loading/unloading areas provided? Are there turning facilities for large vehicles?			

	Is emergency vehicles access provided for?			
5	<p>Landscaping</p> <p>Does landscaping affect visibility at junctions, bends or accesses?</p> <p>As tree planting proposed where vehicles are most likely to run off road?</p>			
6	<p>Traffic Signs</p> <p>Have necessary traffic signs and road markings been provided as part of development?</p>			
7	<p>Other</p> <p>Will there be area wide effects on other roads?</p> <p>Will design keep speeds down where necessary?</p> <p>Are number of accesses to busy roads minimised by layout?</p> <p>Are footways necessary and provided adequately?</p> <p>Are cycleways required?</p> <p>Is street lighting required/adequate?</p> <p>Are busy lay-bys and stops safely located?</p> <p>Are dropped crossings provided at preferred pedestrian route or crossing points?</p> <p>Is pedestrian guard rail provided where walkways join the highway?</p> <p>Other checks made at discretion of auditor or client.</p>			