

SURREY SAFETY CAMERA PARTNERSHIP

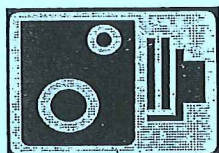
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

You have been sent a Notice of Intended Prosecution for the alleged offence of either speeding or contravening a red light which has been detected by a camera. The NIP MUST be completed by the addressee.

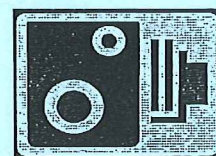
An unblemished driving record, unfamiliar with vehicle or area, time of day, inappropriate speed limits etc are not valid reasons to discontinue the matter.

You would have the opportunity to put any mitigation you may have to the court once a summons has been issued.

Please note that all phone calls and correspondence will be dealt with collectively by a team of staff rather than a named point of contact.



Q. Can I see the photographic evidence?



If you wish to challenge the allegation in the Magistrates court the photographs will form part of the Police evidence and in such cases the defendant will be provided with copies. We do not routinely send out photographic evidence.

Q. Why have I received a second form to complete when I have already sent one ?

The document you have returned was not addressed to you. We have sent you a new one because you must complete the document specifically addressed to you.

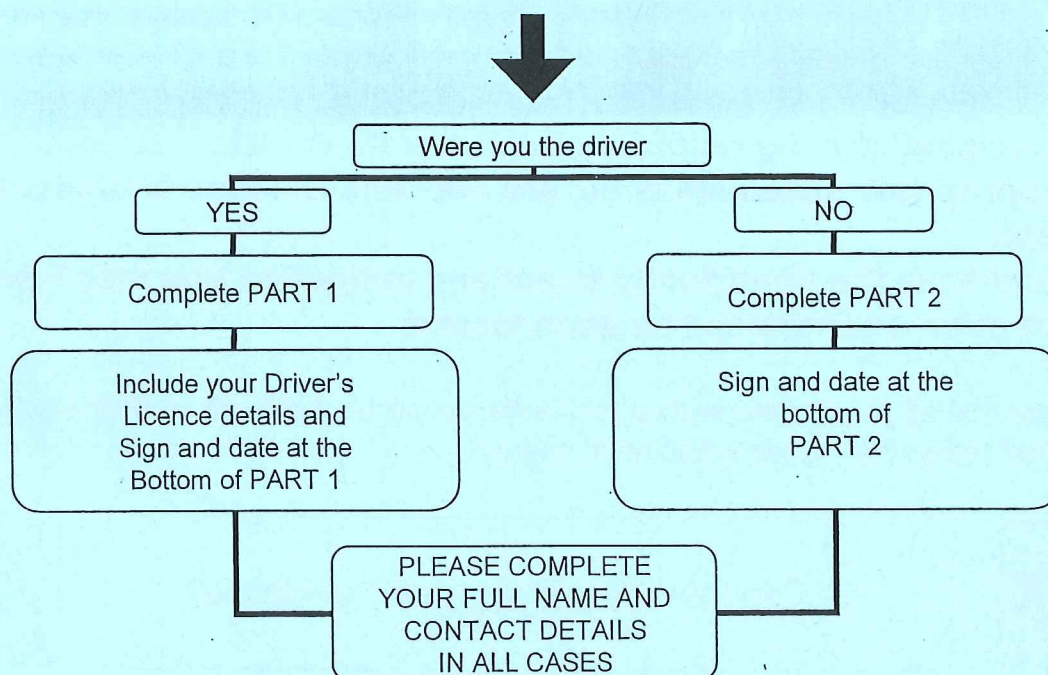
Q. I did not know the speed limit and there were no signs.

Roads that have a 'system of street lighting' are all subject to a 30 mph speed limit unless there are signs to the contrary (please refer to the Highway Code).

Q. I do not know who was driving. What should I do?

If for any reason you fail to, or are unable to, provide full and precise details of the user/driver without good reason, a prosecution will be considered. **NB: If you nominate a foreign driver you may be required to provide evidence of third party insurance cover. A vehicle registered at DVLA must have insurance cover issued by UK Motor Insurers Bureau**

Follow this flowchart as a guide to filling out your form



PLEASE DO NOT SEND THE FORM BACK INCOMPLETE

These are the national speed limits and apply to all roads unless signs show otherwise.

Know your limits	Built up area (street lit)	Single Carriageways	Dual * Carriageways	Motorways
type of vehicle	mph	mph	mph	mph
cars & motorcycles (including car derived vans up to 2 tonnes maximum laden weight)	30	60	70	70
cars towing caravans or trailers (including car derived vans and motorcycles)	30	50	60	60
buses and coaches (not exceeding 12 metres in overall length)	30	50	60	70
goods vehicles (not exceeding 7.5 tonnes maximum laden weight)	30	50	60	70* *60 if articulated or towing a trailer
goods vehicles (exceeding 7.5 tonnes maximum laden weight)	30	40	50	60

*** SOME DUAL CARRIAGEWAYS MAY HAVE A SPEED RESTRICTION OTHER THAN NATIONAL SPEED LIMIT**

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON SAFETY CAMERAS VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.surreycommunity.info/drivesmart or www.surrey.police.uk

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