ROAD TRAFFIC

The Radar Speed Measuring Device Approval 2019

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 20(4) and (5) of the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988(a) (Speeding offences etc: admissibility of certain evidence), and having prescribed for the purposes of section 20 of that Act a device designed or adapted for measuring by radar the speed of motor vehicles(b), approves as from 5 April 2019 for the purpose of detection of offences specified in section 20(2)(a), (b), (c) or (d) the type of such device known as the VECTOR SR spot speed measurement device manufactured by Jenoptik Traffic Solutions UK Ltd.

Minister of State

Home Office
April 2019

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Approval)

Section 20 of the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988 (as amended) (the "1988 Act") provides for the admissibility in evidence of records from prescribed devices. Such devices must be of a description prescribed by the Secretary of State and of a type approved by him for the purpose of that section. By the Road Traffic Offenders (Prescribed Devices) Order 1992 (S.I.1992/1209), the Secretary of State prescribed devices designed or adapted for measuring by radar the speed of motor vehicles. This approval approves as from 5 April 2019 for the purpose of detection of offences specified in section 20(2)(a), (b), (c) or (d) the type of such device known as the VECTOR SR spot speed measurement device manufactured by Jenoptik Traffic Solutions UK Ltd

- (a) 1988 c.53; section 20 was substituted by section 23 of the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c.40).
- (b) The Road Traffic Offenders (Prescribed Devices) Order 1992 (S.I.1992/1209).