**Course Details and Risk Assessment Q10/19**

Start on A.26 one mile south of Tonbridge, at kerb point 50 yards north of Mabeldon and 10 feet past 40 mph limit signs (TQ580445). Proceed north and take first left to join A21. (M) Proceed on A.21, left on slip road to Weald RAB using the left-hand side of the carriageway. (5.4 miles). Encircle (M) and retrace on A.21 to finish at the leading edge of the last bridge before the A.26 slip road (TQ575451).

**Restriction on use:**

**Evening** – No events to be held on A.21 between Tonbridge and the A.25 Interchange.

**Saturday Mornings** – Events can only be held before the 3rd weekend in May, and then from 1st September until season end, with no rider on the road after 8.30 am

**Sunday Mornings** – Events can be held but with no rider on the road after 9.00 am

**Bank Holidays -** No events.

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| **Location** | **Hazard Detail** | **Risk Reduction Measures** | **ResidualRisk** |
| General | Promotion time meets C.T.T. requirements and standards |  | Low |
| Before event | Riders riding from HQ | Appropriate notes to be included on start sheets | Low |
|  | Competitors warming up | Instructions on start sheet restricting riders from warming up on the course. | Low |
| **Start** on A.26 London Road, south of Tonbridge | Adequate parking for time keeper. Riders awaiting start. | Instructions on start sheet to not block the road and that there is no competitor car parking. Cycle event sign on A.26 north bound. | Low |
| **1.** Top of Quarry Hill | Riders fork left onto slip road towards A.21 London bound | 1 marshal  Cycle event sign on approach to A21 slip road  from start and {on approach to A21 slip road from southbound A26} | Low |
| Slip road | Fast descent | No Additional Measures | Low |
| **2.** Junction of slip road A.21 Tonbridge by-pass | Riders join northbound traffic. | Riders must give way to traffic on right. Cycle event sign on A21 prior to slip road on northbound carriageway | Low |
| {Lay-by on left} | Motorists leaving lay-by | Cycle Event sign to exit of lay-by | Low |
| **3.** Slip road to Sevenoaks Weald RAB | Riders fork left onto slip road | 1 marshal at beginning of slip road | Low |
| **4.** Sevenoaks Weald RAB | Riders take 3rd exit, giving way to traffic on right | 5 marshals, cycle event signs at 1st & 2nd entry roads onto roundabout | Low |
| **5.** Junction of slip road with southbound A.21 | Riders join southbound traffic. | Riders must give way to traffic on right. Cycle event sign on A.21 prior to slip road on Southbound carrigeway | Low |
| {Service area lay-by on left} | Motorists leaving lay-by | Cycle Event sign to exit of lay-by | Low |
| **Finish** at North end of lay by, bottom of Quarry Hill | Parking for timekeeper car only | Chequered board/flag Instructions on start sheet for riders returning to HQ {to not stop on the A21 or Quarry Hill slip road.} | Low |

Data supplied by Tony Peachey – February 2005

7 marshals required

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