Course Details & Risk Assessment

Course/Road(s) Assessed: A20   **Course: QS/35**

Date of Assessment/Review: 14 July 2020   **Name of Assessor: John Lonbottom**

Course Description: Start at Dickley Lane Harrietsham at "No overnight lorry parking" sign east of Marley site entrance nearest to A.20 (51°14'33.5"N 0°42'04.5"E or TQ886528). Join A.20 and proceed eastwards to turn at Charing RAB. Turn & take the 4th exit to return on A.20 to finish adjacent to HGV Restriction sign 15 metres after The Paddocks & before the Lenham crossroads.

This course is for Type B (i.e. Club) events only for 2023

Key Identified Risks

Location	Hazard Detail	Risk Reduction Measures	Risk
General	Promotion time meets C.T.T. requirements and	Traffic counts	Low
Before event	Traffic travelling east on A20 from Maidstone direction.	Cycle event sign on A.20 200m W of Dickley Corner petrol station.	Low
Start in Marley Lane, Harrietsham	Adequate parking for timekeeper only. Maximum of 5 riders awaiting start	No competitor parking allowed	Low
1. Junction with A.20	Traffic from right, long sweep	Cycle event sign on corner of grass island by bus stop.	Low
Marlow Road	Minor road on left	No Additional Measures	Low
2. Lenham crossroads – Faversham Road	Minor road on left & right	Cycle event signs in Faversham Road on left & right of A20 – 2 no.	Low
Various minor roads on left		NAM	Low
3. Charing roundabout	Riders take 4th exit, some traffic from 1st and 3rd exits	2 marshals. Cycle event signs on A.20 East, A252 and Charing village approach – 3 no.	Low
Various minor roads on left		NAM	Low
4 Finish	Parking for timekeeper only	Chequered board/flag.	Low

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Updates:

1. 26 February 2021 by John Longbottom – start/finish points adjusted.
2. 4 August 2021 by John Longbottom – Marshals at the turn amended from 3 to 2.
3. 3 February 2023 by John Longbottom – year changed to 2023 for limitation of use to Type B events.
4. 11 May 2023 by John Longbottom – wording for cycle event sign locations clarified.

Cycle Event Signs required = 7 + finish board
Marshals required = 2