

# Olympics

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The London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games promise to be two of the most exciting events the country has ever seen. The Games present a significant organisational challenge, not least in ensuring that athletes, officials and spectators can travel around London easily. Preparations are already underway and many organisations and individuals are being asked to do things differently in order to make the Games a success.

### The Olympic and Paralympic Route Networks

In order to ensure athletes and officials can get to the events quickly and safely, an Olympic Route Network (ORN) and Paralympic Route Network (PRN) will be in place. The ORN and PRN will be networks of existing roads within London and the UK identified as key routes for getting Olympic- and Paralympic-related traffic where it needs to be while keeping normal day-to-day traffic moving.

These roads will need to be kept free of all non-emergency road works to help minimise traffic disruption. Consequently, National Grid is unlikely to be granted a permit to carry out non-emergency road works in these areas. **Restrictions will start to take limited effect in 2011, building up through 2012 until their full implementation on 1st March 2012 through to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2012.**

Information relating to the ORN and PRN can be found on the London 2012 website [www.london2012.com/orn](http://www.london2012.com/orn)

### What does this mean for my Gas Services?

**If your home or business is on or near the ORN and/or PRN** and affected by the Olympic Embargo please be advised that National Grid will still provide you with a quotation for your works. However upon receipt of your acceptance, due to the restrictions (stated above) it is unlikely that we will be able to provide you with a planned physical commencement date within the Olympic Embargo period. In these instances we will contact you to discuss & agree the options available to you.

You can apply for your work online at: <http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Gas/Connections/GasServices> or by completing the enclosed application and returning this to us.

For more information please contact us by email at [cos.enquiries@uk.ngid.com](mailto:cos.enquiries@uk.ngid.com) or by phone at **0870 903 9999**.

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