NICE TO SET UK-STYLE CAMERA SPEED TRAPS

By RICHARD BAKER

NICE is to get the country’s first UK-style speed cameras soon and drivers will have to look out for temporary cameras in three speeding blackspots until then. The cameras have been introduced as part of the government crackdown on France’s appalling road safety record.

Police have already installed two temporary cameras on the Voie Rapide and the Promenade des Anglais. A third is to go up on the RN202, close to Nice-Lingostière, in the near future.

Traditional favourite spots for high speed drivers have been picked for camera locations. The Promenade des Anglais unit is sited just after the Napoléon III bridge, opposite the airport. The installation on the Voie Rapide is at les Bosquets, at the airport end near the Radisson Hotel. Both are in 50km/h zones.

Permanent

The temporary cameras currently in use will be replaced over the next few months with permanent ones more like those used in the UK. The new units, which can operate twenty four hours a day, will be the first in France to be positioned high up on posts to get the best view of speeding motorists.

The cameras are a new generation of more accurate speed traps which have been introduced after the courts found themselves having to let off many speeding drivers because the accuracy of existing cameras could be called into question. Pictures taken by the new cameras are, however, considered precise enough to prove guilt.

“This is particularly aimed at the French; they have no regard for the law,” Nice police lieutenant Robert Pinhoet told The Riviera Gazette. “English drivers are OK, it’s mainly the locals that we have a problem with.”

Of course, expat drivers and tourists are just as likely to be caught by the machines if they are speeding.

“There will be a general tolerance of about 10km/h. But anyone doing speeds of up to 97 km/h will be fined, and anything exceeding that can result in a loss of license for up to six months,” the officer explained.

Nationally, the government’s crackdown is delivering significant results. Seventeen people were killed on the roads in Nice in 2002, down from 31 the year before. So far this year the toll stands at zero, and road deaths nationwide in February fell by 35.8% compared to the same time last year.

“I hate driving in Nice anyway, the traffic is always so jammed,” Holly Slater, 28, of Cannes told The Gazette. "I’ve only been stopped for speeding once in the three years I’ve lived here, but in the UK I nearly lost my license after points I racked up from speed cameras,” Holly continued.

“Police State

“I hope they don’t start sticking them up everywhere. One of the many reasons I left England was because of these things – its becoming a police state.”

The Voie Rapide, used by 60,000 vehicles every day, will be closed between 8:30pm and 6am every night for three weeks from March 17 whilst the surface is resealed to reduce noise pollution.

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PARIS-NICE RACE ROLLS INTO TOWN

By Richard Baker and Jenny Paul

THE WORLD’S top professional cyclists will be speeding into the region this weekend as the annual Paris to Nice cycle race reaches its climax on the Promenade des Anglais on Sunday.

The 198 riders started out from Paris last weekend and are expected in Cannes on Saturday and Nice on Sunday. The racers face a gruelling two hundred kilometre stage every day and the eight-day tour is one of the most keenly fought events in the cycling calendar.

The defending champion, Nice-based Alexandre Vinokourov from Kazakhstan, will wear No 1. Frenchman Richard Virenque (21) and Axel Merckx (131) from Belgium are other stand out names. Merckx’s Australian Credit Agricole teammates Robbie McEwen (134) and Stuart O’Grady (121) are also expected to be in the running for the title.

Australians

Two Nice-based Australians, Baden Cooke (No 12) and Matthew Wilson (18), are also taking part. Both are looking forward to a big finish in their adopted home. “I first came to Nice four years ago for a visit,” Baden Cooke, 24, told The Riviera Gazette. “Then last year I joined a French team, fdjeux.com, so it made sense to re-locate. “There are twenty one guys in the team. I love living here, the training conditions are perfect. We’re out riding for about four hours every day, so it’s much nicer if it’s sunny. Sometimes we ride up to the mountains, or we roll into Monaco and back for a two hour ride.”

The cyclists arrive in Toulon on Friday, ready to race a thigh-busting 195km over six major hills between Toulon and Cannes on Saturday. They leave Toulon at 10.40am and are expected in Cannes at around 3.15pm. The 106km final stage starts from Avenue des Phocéens in Nice at 11.25am on Sunday. The cyclists climb to Col de Chateauneuf via Col d’Eze and La Trinite, arriving at 12.35. They then pass back through Nice from around 12.55 before riding to Col d’Eze and La Trinite a second time to arrive in Col de Chateauneuf from 2.15pm.

Uphill struggle

The race reaches its climax as they then head back down to Nice, back up to Col d’Eze for a third time at around 5pm and then an easy sprint down to Villefranche-sur-Mer and along the Baie corniche for the finish on the Promenade des Anglais.

The individual coloured jerseys make it easy to spot the top cyclists. The race leader will be wearing a yellow jersey, the green jersey is the fastest sprinter, and the ‘King of the Mountains’ will be in polka dots. The best young rider will be wearing blue.

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The TT of the Seas is the fifth luxury yacht to go missing from a Riviera port this winter. A 53ft sailing boat worth €790,000, a €2.500,000 14m cruiser, and two 65ft Princess motor yachts, worth €1.5 million each, have all disappeared from ports between Cogolin and Cap d’Ail since September.

Anyone with information on TT of the Seas should call Mr Kurtz on +377 97 98 43 43.

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The TT of the Seas has already started a three month jail sentence for the attempt. Bouncer Selim Briza, 23, suffered a hip wound after he was stabbed by one of six French youths he turned away from the bar during the early hours of Friday morning.

“We tried to talk to them; two left straight away and then suddenly another produced a knife and Selim was stabbed,” McMahon’s manager Ben Shrimpton told The Riviera Gazette.

“T has come as a bit of shock as things are so much better now in Old Nice, with cameras and security TV limiting the amount of trouble,” he continued.

The doorman was back at work last night.
Commercial landlows are facing crisis as the amount of vacant office space in the Alpes-Maritimes soars, according to a survey published by the Observatoire Immobilier d'Entreprises last week.

There are now 159,000 square metres – over 1.7 million square feet – of empty offices in the departement, a 28% increase on 2001 and only a little less than the 170,000 square metres available at the height of the commercial property depression in 1996.

76,700 square metres of the vacant space is in Sophia Antipolis, and most of it is in new high-quality buildings – started when the park was full – and priced at around €160 per square metre per year.

Redundancies in the telecommunications sector, business closures and bankruptcies and fewer companies moving into the area are blamed for the slump.

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BRITISH haute couture designer John Galliano has taken wartime 1940s as the inspiration for his own-label collection after conjuring a bondage-inspired rubber fest for Christian Dior at the Paris Autumn/Winter 2003 fashion week.

Models with oversized black stick-on molls pouted and posed to an uncooked Monday night soundtrack while wearing bulky elasticated bras and garter belts under baby pink cardigans and furs. Black has proven to be a safe bet at the event but Galliano banned the colour – except for the molls.

In direct contrast, the other hits of the week were Tom Ford and Alber Elbaz. Ford says sensuality will be the watchword for his YSL Rive Gauche label, which continues to carry the prestigious ‘AOC Nice’ quality label, has been judged amongst the best in the country.

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What is ‘domicile’?

Under UK law you must have a domicile for tax purposes. This is usually the place with which you have the closest connections – normally where you were born, rather than where you currently live.

If you are not intending to return to Britain to live, you may be able to establish an alternative domicile. This means shaking off the UK as your domicile of birth and taking steps to show that your new home abroad is permanent.

Why become UK non-domiciled?

There are considerable tax advantages for UK nationals who are able to lose their UK domicile. If you are not domiciled in the UK, you are only subject to UK Inheritance Tax (IHT) on assets situated within the UK.

In contrast, if you are UK domiciled, IHT is 40 per cent of the total value of your worldwide estate (after allowances). You may also find that you are liable for estate duties in your country of residence and in the country where the assets are physically located.

Credit is frequently not given for tax paid in one country against tax due in another. This could mean that the total estate duty payable on your assets could actually amount to more than your assets are worth.

How do I lose my UK domicile?

The Inland Revenue will look for proof that ties with the UK have been cut and permanent ties with a new country established. This could include purchase of a house in the new country, relinquishing of rights to vote in the UK and establishment of financial ties with the new country.

You can’t find out in advance from the Inland Revenue whether you are classified as non-domiciled. The easiest way to test domicile is by setting up a discretionary trust, making a ‘chargeable transfer’ into it over and above lifetime exemption and reporting this to the UK Inland Revenue. It is not a tax charge to lifetime IHT you are non-domiciled. If you receive a charge then you remain domiciled.

As not before it is too late, Changes to non-domicile status will not benefit UK expatriates or wealthy non-domiciled individuals residing in the UK. If you would like advice on the chances of obtaining non-domicile, or further information about protecting your assets, please contact us.

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As we approach the UK budget, speculation continues that the government may press ahead with plans to close the ‘non-domicile loophole’.

Currently non-UK domiciled individuals are exempt from paying tax on their overseas income – providing it is not brought into the UK. The media focus has been on the 40,800 wealthy UK residents with non-domicile status, but there are many UK expatriates who may find that the proposals affect them too.

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Friday 14  
- The Princess Grace Irish Library is organizing a St Patrick’s Day menu at the Café de Paris in Monaco from tonight until March 17, from 20.00 to 23.30. Sample national dishes prepared by two Irish chefs by reserving a table on +377 92 16 25 54.
- The Théâtre Lecœur in Cannes is hosting an open-to-all-ages performance show and exhibition at 19.00. See the show and meet the choreographer afterwards. Entry is free. Tel: 04 93 10 28 11.
- The 12th Festival Musical du Grand Hôtel du Cap-Ferrat continues tonight with a Star is Born, a piano concert by Michael Desjardins with Tall Papavrami on the flute at 20.00. Tickets are €30; email banquet@grand-hotel-cap-ferrat.com for bookings.
- Ketty Chaudignoy and the Piccolo Trio are performing songs from Jazz MC, Piccolo in Cannes at 21.30. Tickets €8. Tel: 04 93 09 26 90.
- A three-day plant market, the Journées du Jardin, is on at Place Sophie Laffitte in Sophia Antipolis from 9.00 to 12.00. Information about local plants will be on display and for sale. Entry is free. Tel: 04 94 12 34 50.
- The Waldorf-Steiner-prep school in La Turbie is holding a conference tonight at the Hotel SAS Résidence on the Promenade des Anglais, Nice at 15.20 and an open day on Sunday from 1.00 to 3.00, or by prior appointment at 11.00 and 13.00. Tel: 09 72 09 18 49.
- There’s horse racing at the Hippodrome, Cagnes sur Mer tonight from 20.00. Entry EUR4.30. Tel: 04 92 42 04 44.
- Continuing today is the Foire de Nice and the International Games Festival.

Saturday 15  
- The Open University Business School is holding an information session on its distance learning MBA and other business courses at the Hotel Mercure, Sophia Antipolis from 9.30 to noon. Call 04 93 77 06 28 for info.
- Head to the Palais des Congrès in Sophia Antipolis for a Puppy Fair which promises ‘every type of puppy you can imagine’! Doors open from 10.00 to 19.00 and entry is €5. Tel: 04 92 87 90 49.
- Villefranche-sur-Mer continues its Year of the Irish with a Fête de la Saint Patrick today. A room in the Grimaldi will be transformed into a virtual Irish pub for the day. Tel: 04 91 01 73 68.
- The Menton Branch of the British Association is hosting a lunch at 12.30 at Le Calypso restaurant, Menton. The €19 entry price includes three courses and an aperitif. Tel: 04 92 10 28 11.
- The Fête de l’Oléron, the traditional festival celebrating the new season’s olive oil, is on today in the Domaine Renorn in Cagnes sur Mer. Tastings, chef demonstrations, dancing and market stalls start at 10.00 and finish at 18.00. Entry is free. Tel: 04 92 20 64 64.
- The Paris to Nice cycle race, traditionally the first stop of the season for the major teams, enters the Côte d’Azur today. See page 3.
- The Auld Alliance is organizing a St Patrick’s Day party at Pub O’Neil in Villefranche-sur-Mer. From 20.00 there’ll be Irish music, games and films followed by a supper. Tel: 04 91 89 12 32.
- Continuing today is the Les Journées du Jardin, the Foire de Nice, the International Games Festival and the Waldorf-Steiner open day.

Sunday 16  
- The regular Marché Bio-Provençal is on today from 8.00 to 17.00 in Place Marinoni, Cagnes sur Mer. Tastings, chef demonstrations, dancing and market stalls start at 10.00 and finish at 18.00. Entry is free. Tel: 04 92 10 28 11.
- The Quatorze Alliance are giving a classical music concert at 18.00 at the Théâtre de la Ville, Nice. Entry is €18 or €16 82 89.
- Expat social group ‘The Forum is running an open all-ages singles night event at Morrison’s Irish Bar, Cannes. Entry costs €5; call Simon on 06 22 82 16 18 to book.
- Continuing today are the Puppy Fair, the Paris Nice cycle race, the Journées du Jardin, the Foire de Nice and the International Games Festival.

Monday 17  
- Today is St Patrick’s Day. The Princess Grace Irish Library is hosting a 12-hour concert and movie marathon at the Salles des Variétés, Monaco. The event includes showings of classic films The Quiet Man and Caudle’s Friends. Entry is free. Tel: +377 93 50 25.
- Adapt in France is running a workshop today on how to raise bilingual children, 9.30 to 11.30, at the Business Centre of Vie, Sophia Antipolis. Tel: 04 93 63 33 79.
- The international Ensemble Vocal Synx Choir and the Orchestra perform Flute Variations, Nureyev today and tomorrow from 10.00 to 12.00. Tel: 04 93 85 30 10.
- The Animapro Exhibition, for professionals in the community and leisure activities industry, is on at the Congress Center in St Raphael today and tomorrow from 10.00 to 18.00. Tel: 04 94 40 69 50.
- The British Chamber of Commerce is hosting an expat artists evening on Monday at the Atelier du Parrou, 564 chemin du Parrou, Vallauris starting at 19.00. Tel: 04 98 04 53 36 as a chance to find out what our contemporaries are doing, meet them and talk to them around a nappums buffet’ Tickets are €30. Reservations must be made by March 16 by emailing info@ccriviera.com.