

UPDATE: Princes Street now open following earlier closure

UPDATE FROM POLICE SCOTLAND:

Princes Street is now open, between the junction on South Charlotte Street and Frederick Street, following earlier concerns with flagpoles on a building

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Police have closed the road and footpath on Princes Street between South Charlotte Street and Frederick Street.

Officers are concerned for the safety of the public due to flagpoles on a building there. Emergency Services are currently in attendance.

A police spokesperson said: "A road closure is in place on Princes Street, Edinburgh, between the junction for South Charlotte Street and Frederick Street due to concerns with flagpoles on a building.

"The footpath is also closed.

"Emergency services are in attendance."