

2007 No. 582

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A9 Trunk Road (Highland Lights, Kessock Bridge) (Special Event) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2007

*Made
Coming into force*

*21st December 2007
9th January 2008*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a) and of all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 16A(2) of that Act, they are satisfied that the traffic on the length of road specified in the Schedule should be restricted and or prohibited for the purpose of facilitating a firework display on the Kessock Bridge.

In accordance with section 16A(3) of that Act, they are satisfied that it is not reasonably practicable for such an event to be held otherwise than on that length of road.

In accordance with section 16A(8) of that Act, they have had regard to the safety and convenience of an alternative route suitable for traffic which will be affected by this Order.

Citation, commencement and cessation

1. This Order may be cited as the A9 Trunk Road (Highland Lights, Kessock Bridge) (Special Event) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2007, shall come into force at 00.01 hours on 9th January 2008 and shall cease to have effect at midnight on 14th January 2008.

(a)1984 c.27; section 16A was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1994 (c.11), Schedule 1. The Scottish Ministers are the traffic authority by virtue of section 121A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (inserted by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), Schedule 8, paragraph 70 and amended by the Scotland Act 1998 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2001 (S.I. 2001/1400)) as read

with section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c.54). The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46)

Prohibition of use of vehicles

2. Subject to Article 3 of this Order, no person shall use, or permit the use of, any vehicle on the length of road specified in the Schedule when such prohibition is identified as applying to any part or parts of the said length of road by means of traffic signs as prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(a).

Exemption for emergency and works vehicles

3. No provision of this Order shall apply to a vehicle while being used in an emergency for fire brigade, coastguard, ambulance or police purposes or a vehicle being used in connection with the facilitating of the firework display on the Kessock Bridge.

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SCHEDULE

That length of the M9/A9 Edinburgh – Stirling – Thurso Trunk Road from its junction with the A82 Dalnottar – Inverness Trunk Road, at Longman Roundabout, Inverness northwards for a distance of 1.65km or thereby.