

2009 No. 3370

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A34 Trunk Road (North of Kidlington, Layby) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009

Made - - - - - *14th December 2009*

Coming into force - - - - - *2nd January 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A34 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on a length of that road because works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A34 Trunk Road (North of Kidlington, Layby) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 2nd January 2010.

2. In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the A34 Trunk Road in the County of Oxfordshire;

“layby” means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles and bounded partly by a traffic sign of the type shown in diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(b) and partly by the outer edge of that carriageway on the same side of the road as that on which the sign is placed; and in this definition “carriageway” means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in the trunk road over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;

“the A34 layby” means the layby adjacent to the northbound carriageway of the trunk road between points 3.86 kilometres and 4.11 kilometres north of the Water Eaton overbridge north of Kidlington;

“works” mean footway improvement and lining work on the trunk road; and

“a works period” means a period of –

- (i) 9 hours starting at 2100 hours on Monday 4th January 2010 or on any subsequent day other than a Friday, Saturday or Sunday,
- (ii) 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Friday 8th January 2010 or on any subsequent Friday or Sunday, or
- (iii) 10½ hours starting at 2030 hours on Saturday 9th January 2010 or on any subsequent Saturday,

(a) 1984 c.27; a new section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.
(b) S.I. 2002/3113.

until 1st July 2011.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in, or wait on, the A34 layby.

4. The provisions of article 3 above shall apply only at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs, and shall not apply to -

- (a) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;
- (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform; or
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

14th December 2009

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