STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 312

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A49 Trunk Road (Leominster, Herefordshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made	-	-	-	-	3rd February 2014
Coming in	ito fe	orce	-	-	10th February 2014

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A49 Trunk Road ("the A49"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road, at Leominster in the County of Herefordshire, should be prohibited 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 A49 Trunk Road (Leominster, Herefordshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 10th February 2014.

2. In this Order –

"the trunk road"

"layby"

means -

- a) the northbound carriageway of the A49 from its junction with the A4112 (New Road) to its roundabout junction with the A456 and B4362 (Station Road); and
- b) the southbound carriageway of the A49 from its roundabout junction with the A456 and Station Road to its junction with New Road;

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

(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, Part 1

"the works period"	means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 17th
	February 2014 and ending when the said works have been
	completed;

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to the article in this Order which bears that number.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 5, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed on the trunk road.

4. Subject as mentioned in article 5, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the layby situated adjacent to the northbound carriageway of the A49 700 metres north of its junction with New Road.

5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs and shall not apply to any vehicle -

- (a) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
- (b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable; or
- (c) being used in connection with the said works; and
- (d) proceeding to and from premises which are accessible from, and only from, the trunk road.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

3rd February 2014

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