WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 349 (W. 108)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A479 Trunk Road (Lower Genffordd Bends & Pengenffordd, South of Talgarth, Powys) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2016

Made 8 March 2016

Coming into force 15 March 2016

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the Glanusk Park - Llyswen Trunk Road (A479) ("the trunk road"), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited because of works proposed on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) and of all other enabling powers(2), make this Order.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 15 March 2016 and its title is The A479 Trunk Road (Lower Genffordd Bends & Pengenffordd, South of Talgarth, Powys) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2016.

2.—(1) In this Order:

"exempted vehicle" ("cerbyd esempt") means any vehicle being used by the emergency services or in connection with the works giving rise to this Order;

"the length(s) of the trunk road" ("y darn(au) o'r gefnffordd") means:

i. the length of the trunk road known as Lower Genffordd bends, south of Talgarth in the County of Powys that extends from a point 150 metres east of the centre-point of its junction with the side road

leading to Trewalkin to a point 180 metres north west of the centre-point of its junction with the side road leading to Whitelow Farm; and

ii. the length of the trunk road at Pengenffordd in the County of Powys that extends from a point 350 metres north-west of the centre-point of its junction with the side road leading to Genffordd Farm to a point 60 metres south of the centre-point of the said junction;

"works period" ("cyfnod y gwaith") means that period commencing at 08:00 hours on 15 March 2016 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

(2) Any reference in this Order to a numbered article is a reference to the article bearing that number in this Order.

Prohibition

3. Subject to the provisions of article 4, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed in the lengths of the trunk road.

Application

4. The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as the application of the prohibition referred to therein is indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

5. The maximum duration for this Order shall be 18 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the

8 March 2016

Richard Morgan Head of Asset Management and Standards Welsh Government

(1) 1984 c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.
(2) By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, article 2 and Schedule 1, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.