

2022 No. 1081 (W. 230)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A465 Trunk Road (Ebbw Vale
East Junction to Tredegar
Interchange, Blaenau Gwent)
(Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles
and Cyclists) Order 2022

Made 24 October 2022

Coming into force 31 October 2022

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A465 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on 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⁾, make this Order.

Title and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the A465 Trunk Road (Ebbw Vale East Junction to Tredegar Interchange, Blaenau Gwent) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles and Cyclists) Order 2022 and this Order comes into force on 31 October 2022.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means any vehicle being used by the emergency services or in

(1) 1984 c. 27; section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c. 26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

connection with the works giving rise to this Order;

“the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the A465 Neath to Abergavenny trunk road;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means intermittent periods commencing at 20:00 hours on 31 October 2022 and ending when the temporary traffic signs for each period of works are removed.

Prohibitions

3. No person may, during the works period, drive any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, on the lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedule to this Order.

4. No person may, during the works period, ride any pedal cycle on the lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedule to this Order.

Application

5. The prohibitions in articles 3 and 4 apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

6. The maximum duration for this Order is 18 months.

Signed on behalf of the Deputy Minister for Climate Change, acting under the authority of the Minister for Climate Change, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the

24 October 2022

Nicci Hunter
Business Team Leader
Welsh Government

SCHEDULE

Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles and Cyclists

1. The length of the trunk road (along existing and new alignment lanes) that extends from the nosing of the westbound exit slip road at Ebbw Vale East Interchange to the nosing of the westbound entry slip road at Tredegar Interchange.

2. The entire length of the westbound exit slip road at Tredegar Interchange.

3. The length of the eastbound entry slip road at Tredegar Interchange.
4. The length of the eastbound entry slip road at Rassau Industrial Estate.
5. The length of the westbound entry slip road at Ebbw Vale West Junction.