2017 No. 73

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A90 Trunk Road (Northbound Slip Road from Ferrytoll Roundabout) (Temporary Speed Restriction) Order 2017

 Made
 13th March 2017

 Coming into force
 15th March 2017

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(1) and (2), 4(1) and 14(1)(a) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 14(1)(a) of that Act, they are satisfied that traffic on the length of road specified in the schedule should be restricted because works are being or are proposed to be executed on or near that length of road.

In accordance with section 14(3) of that Act, they have had regard to the existence of alternative routes suitable for the traffic which will be affected by this Order.

Citation, commencement and cessation

1. This Order may be cited as the A90 Trunk Road (Northbound Slip Road from Ferrytoll Roundabout) (Temporary Speed Restriction) Order 2017, comes into force on 15th March 2017 and ceases to have effect on 31st August 2017.

Speed restriction

2. No person may use, or permit the use of, any vehicle on the length of road, or a part or parts of the length of road, specified in the schedule of this Order at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour or 40 miles per hour, as the case may be, when that restriction is identified as applying to that length of road, or a part or parts of that length of road, by means of a traffic sign of the type described in item 1 (diagram 670 – maximum speed limit in mph) of the sign table in Part 2 of schedule 10 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016(**b**).

⁽a) 1984 c.27; section 2(1) and (2) were amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22) ("the 1991 Act"), schedule 8, paragraph 18 and section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), schedule 1. The Scottish Ministers are the traffic authority by virtue of section 121A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (inserted by the 1991 Act, schedule 8, paragraph 70 and amended by S.I. 2001/1400) as read with section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c.54) (relevantly amended by S.I. 2001/1400). The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).

⁽**b**) S.I. 2016/362.

Exemptions

3. No speed restriction imposed by this Order applies to vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011(a) when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations.

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Forth Replacement Crossing Project Office, Rosyth 13th March 2017

⁽a) S.I. 2011/935.

SCHEDULE

Article 2

SPECIFIED LENGTH OF ROAD

That length of the M90/A90 Edinburgh – Fraserburgh Trunk Road being the entire length of the northbound on slip road from the point where it diverges from the Ferrytoll, Roundabout to the point where it meets the northbound A90, a distance of 530 metres or thereby.