

2010 No. 2242

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M20 Motorway (Junction 7, Londonbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - - - *31st August 2010*

Coming into force - - - - - *18th September 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M20 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on some of those connecting roads 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 M20 Motorway (Junction 7, Londonbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 18th September 2010.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway” means the M20 Motorway near Maidstone in the County of Kent;

“the slip road” means the road leading to the Londonbound carriageway of the motorway from the roundabout at Junction 7 (A249);

“the link road” means the dedicated road leading from the northbound carriageway of the A249 to the Londonbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 7;

“works” mean resurfacing work on the motorway; and

“a works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 2000 hours on Monday 20th September 2010 or on any subsequent day until 17th March 2012.

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 the slip road or the link road.

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 constable or traffic officer in uniform; or
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

(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.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

31st August 2010

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