

**2010 No. 2274**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A66 Trunk Road (Longnewton to Great Burdon) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010**

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

*Coming into force* - - - - - *12 September 2010*

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A66 Trunk Road and connecting roads, in the District of Darlington, is satisfied that traffic on that trunk road and one of those connecting roads should be restricted and prohibited because carriageway resurfacing and footway improvement 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), makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the A66 Trunk Road (Longnewton to Great Burdon) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 12 September 2010.

2. In this Order; –

“the A66” means the A66 Trunk Road from its junction with the A66/Darlington Eastern Transport Corridor Roundabout to its junction with the A66/A1150 Little Burdon Roundabout, a distance of approximately 1100 metres;

“the eastbound carriageway” means the A66 Trunk Road eastbound carriageway from its junction with the A66/A1150 Little Burdon Roundabout eastwards for a distance of 1055 metres;

“the westbound carriageway” means the A66 Trunk Road westbound carriageway from a point 400 metres east of the nose of the westbound exit slip at Sadberge Junction to 200 metres south of the A66/A1150 Little Burdon Roundabout, a distance of 2000 metres;

“the roundabout” means the circulatory carriageway of the A66/A1150 Little Burdon Roundabout;

“the link road” means the link road connecting the Darlington Eastern Transport Corridor to the A66;

“the works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 13 September 2010 or any subsequent night thereafter until 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 be driven at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the eastbound carriageway or the westbound carriageway.

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 A66 or the roundabout.

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(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.

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. Nothing in article 4 shall apply to:

- (a) a vehicle being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) a vehicle being used for, or in connection with, the said works, or for winter maintenance or traffic officer purposes; or
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform;

and nothing in article 3 shall apply to any vehicle being used for a purpose specified in paragraph (a) of this article.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

31 August 2010

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