2011 No. 1160

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M4 Motorway (Junction 7, Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011

Made		-	-	-	26th April 2011
Coming in	to for	ce	-	-	14th May 2011

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M4 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 M4 Motorway (Junction 7, Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 14th May 2011.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M4 Motorway in the County of Buckinghamshire and the Borough of Slough;

"a slip road" means -

- (i) any road leading to or from the eastbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 7 (A4 Bath Road), or
- (ii) any road leading to or from the westbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 7 (A4 Bath Road);

"works" mean bridge inspection work on the motorway; and

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 16th May 2011 or on any subsequent day until 13th November 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 a slip 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, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform; or

⁽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.

(d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

26th April 2011

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