2011 No. 1481

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M23 Motorway (Junction 8, Southbound Carriageway) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011

 Made
 13th June 2011

 Coming into force
 2nd July 2011

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M23 Motorway, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on a length of that motorway 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 M23 Motorway (Junction 8, Southbound Carriageway) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 2nd July 2011.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M23 Motorway in the County of Surrey;

"the length of southbound carriageway" means the southbound carriageway of the motorway between the link road leading to and the link road leading from the M25 at Junction 8 (M25 Junction 7 - Merstham Interchange);

"works" mean gantry cleaning work on the motorway; and

"a works period" means a period of -

- (i) 7½ hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 4th July 2011 or on any subsequent day other than a Friday, Saturday or Sunday,
- (ii) 7 hours starting at 2300 hours on Friday 8th July 2011 or on any subsequent Friday,
- (iii) 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Saturday 9th July 2011 or on any subsequent Saturday, or
- (iv) 7 hours starting at 2230 hours on Sunday 10th July 2011 or on any subsequent Sunday,

until 1st January 2013.

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 length of southbound carriageway.

⁽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.

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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