## 2011 No. 2350

## **ROAD TRAFFIC**

## The A35 Trunk Road (Penn, Near Charmouth) (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) Order 2011

Made	-	-	-	-	19th September 2011
Coming in	ito fa	orce	-	-	24th September 2011

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A35 Trunk Road ("the A35"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road at Penn near Charmouth in the District of West Dorset in the County of Dorset and the District of East Devon in the County of Devon should be prohibited and restricted 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  $1984(\mathbf{a})$ , hereby makes the following Order:-

**1.** This Order may be cited as the A35 Trunk Road (Penn, Near Charmouth) (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 24th September 2011.

2. In this Order –

"the A35" means both carriageways of the A35 near Penn from a point 50 metres west of the centre of its junction with Elsdon's Lane to a point 650 metres east of the centre of that junction;

"eastbound carriageway" and "westbound carriageway" mean, respectively, the eastbound carriageway and the westbound carriageway of the A35;

"the works" mean carriageway repairs and resurfacing works;

"the works period" means the period starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 26th September 2011 and ending when 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 articles 4, 5, 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period:

- (a) drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the A35;
- (b) cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the westbound carriageway;
- (c) cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the outside lane of the eastbound carriageway in any direction other than westwards;
- (d) cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the eastbound carriageway;

<sup>(</sup>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.

- (e) cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the outside lane of the westbound carriageway in any direction other than eastwards;
- (f) cause or permit any vehicle to enter or leave the A35 at its junctions with Eldon's Lane and Lyme Hill.

**4.** The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

5. The provisions of articles 3(a), (b), (d) and (f) shall not apply to:

(a) a vehicle being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;

(b) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable.

**6.** The provisions of articles 3(b), (d) and (f) shall not apply to a vehicle:

- (a) proceeding to or from premises that are accessible from and only from the A35;
- (b) being used for or in connection with the said works or for traffic officer purposes.

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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19th September 2011