2011 No. 3104

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A303 Trunk Road (Amesbury to Wylye) (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) Order 2011

Made---28th December 2011Coming into force--7th January 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A303 Trunk Road ("the A303"), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road between Amesbury and Wylye in Wiltshire 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 A303 Trunk Road (Amesbury to Wylye) (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 7th January 2012.

2. In this Order –

"the first length of the A303" means the A303 from a point at the centre of its junction with the A345 to a point at the centre of its junction with the A36 at Wylye;

"the second length of the A303" means the A303 from a point at the centre of its junction with the A345 to a point at the centre of its junction with the A344;

"the third length of the A303" means (i) the A303 from a point at the centre of its junction with the A344 to a point at the centre of its junction with the A360; or (ii) the A303 from a point at the centre of its junction with the A360 to a point at the centre of its junction with the A360 at Wylye;

"the works" mean resurfacing, white lining, stud replacement and associated works;

"the works period" means the period starting at 00.01 hours on Monday 9th January 2012 and ending when the said works have been completed;

"a works period" means a period of 12 hours starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 9th January 2012 or on any subsequent day and ending when the said works have been completed;

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to an article in this Order which bears that number.

3. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 8, no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the first length of the A303.

⁽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. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 8, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on the second length of the A303 whilst traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating "convoy working" on that road are displayed.

5. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed on the third length of the A303.

6. The provisions of articles 3, 4 and 5 shall apply only during 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 for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes; or

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

7. The provisions of article 5 shall not apply to:

- (a) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works or for traffic officer purposes;
- (b) a vehicle proceeding to or from premises that are accessible from and only from the third length of the A303.

8. 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

28th December 2011

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