2011 No. 3118

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6 and M42 Motorways (M6 Junction 4 and M42 Junction 7a) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011

Made - - - - 23rd December 2011

Coming into force - - 30th December 2011

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway ("the M6"), the M42 Motorway ("the M42") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of the M6 and on one of those connecting roads, in the County of Warwickshire, should be prohibited 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), and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the M6 and M42 Motorways (M6 Junction 4 and M42 Junction 7a) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 30th December 2011.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the southbound carriageway of the M6 from its

junction with the exit slip road at junction 4 to its junction

with the entry slip road at Junction 4;

"the link road" means the link road leading from the northbound

carriageway of the M42 at Junction 7a to the southbound

carriageway of the M6;

"the works period" means the period starting at 22:00 hours on Wednesday

4th January 2012 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 article 4, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed on the motorway, or the link road.

⁽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 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 any vehicle
 - (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
 - (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable, or traffic officer in uniform, or
 - (iii) being used in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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23rd December 2011