2011 No. 468

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A249 Trunk Road (Kingsferry Junction – Cowstead Roundabout) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011

 Made
 14th February 2011

 Coming into force
 4th March 2011

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A249 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on a length of that road 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 A249 Trunk Road (Kingsferry Junction – Cowstead Roundabout) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 4th March 2011.

2. In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A249 Trunk Road in the County of Kent;

"the northbound carriageway" means the northbound carriageway of the trunk road from its junction with the road leading to Old Ferry Road and Sheppey Way at Kingsferry junction to Cowstead roundabout (B2231);

"the southbound carriageway" means the southbound carriageway of the trunk road from Cowstead roundabout (B2231) to its junction with the road leading from Old Ferry Road and Sheppey Way at Kingsferry junction;

"works" mean essential carriageway repairs and all associated work on the trunk road; and

- "a works period" means a period of 58 hours starting at 2000 hours on Friday 4th March 2011 or on any subsequent Friday until 31st August 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 the northbound carriageway or the southbound carriageway.
- **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;

⁽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.

- (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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14th February 2011