2012 No. 1185

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M27 Motorway (Junction 4, Eastbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - - 23rd April 2012

Coming into force - - 12th May 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M27 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 M27 Motorway (Junction 4, Eastbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 12th May 2012.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M27 Motorway in the County of Hampshire and the City of Southampton;

"the length of carriageway" means the eastbound carriageway of the motorway from its junction with the link road leading to the M3 at Junction 4 to its junction with the link road leading from the M3 at that junction;

"works" means maintenance of traffic monitoring equipment, carriageway repairs and all associated works on the motorway; and

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 14th May 2012 or on any subsequent day until 11th November 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 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;
 - (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;

⁽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.

- (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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