

2012 No. 2180

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The A5 Trunk Road (Hinckley, Leicestershire) (Temporary
Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012**

Made - - - - 10th August 2012

Coming into force - - 17th August 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A5 Trunk Road (“the A5”), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road, near Hinckley in the County of Leicestershire, should be restricted and 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 A5 Trunk Road (Hinckley, Leicestershire) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 17th August 2012.

2. In this Order –

“the roundabout”	means the circulatory carriageway of the A5 at its roundabout junction with the A47 and B4666 (Dodwells Island);
“the trunk road”	means the eastbound and westbound carriageways of the A5 from a point 270 metres east of the roundabout to a point 70 metres east of the roundabout;
“pedal cycle”	has the meaning given in regulation 4 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(b);
“the works period”	means the period starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 20th August 2012 and ending when the said works have been completed;

(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) S.I. 2002/3113, Part 1.

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 6 and 7 no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the trunk road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to be driven at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on the trunk road whilst traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating “convoy working” on those lengths of road are displayed.

5. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any person using a pedal cycle to enter or proceed in the cycleway adjacent to the eastbound and westbound carriageways of the A5 from a point 100 metres east and a point 100 metres west of the roundabout

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.

7. The provisions of –

- (a) articles 3 and 4 shall not apply to any vehicle being used for special forces purposes;
- (b) articles 3, 4 and 5 shall not apply to any vehicle –
 - (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes; or
 - (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

10th August 2012

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