2012 No. 2382

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M5 Motorway (Junctions 1 and 2) (Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made	-	-	-	-	28th August 2012
Coming	into f	force	-	-	4th September 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M5 Motorway ("the M5") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on eight of those connecting roads in the Metropolitan Borough of Sandwell 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 M5 Motorway (Junctions 1 and 2) (Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 4th September 2012.

2. In this Order -

"a slip road"

means the slip road leading -

- (i) from the southbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 1;
- (ii) to the southbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 1;
- (iii) from the northbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 1;
- (iv) to the northbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 1;
- (v) from the southbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 2;
- (vi) to the southbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 2;
- (vii) from the northbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 2; and
- (viii) to the northbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 2;

⁽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.

"the works period"	means the period starting at 21.00 hours on Monday 10th September 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 in a slip road.

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 -

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

28th August 2012

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