## 2012 No. 2867

## ROAD TRAFFIC

## The M6 Motorway (Junction 31a, Northbound Exit Slip Road) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - - 31st October 2012

Coming into force - - 5th November 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway and its slip roads, is satisfied that traffic on one of those slip roads in South Ribble 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), hereby makes the following Order:-

**1.** This Order may be cited as the M6 Motorway (Junction 31a, Northbound Exit Slip Road) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 5th November 2012.

## 2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M6 Motorway;

"works" means junction improvement works;

"the works period" one night between 2000 hours and 0600 hours starting on Tuesday 6 November 2012 and ending on Sunday 18 November 2012.

However, work may start and continue between the same times on subsequent nights or continue until completed, for such period not exceeding 18 months as shall be required to complete the work;

"the slip road" means the exit slip road leading from the northbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 31a.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 of this Order, during the works period, no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the slip road.

<sup>(</sup>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 of this Order 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 any vehicle
	being used for emergency purposes by the police, fire and rescue or ambulance services.
	vehicles being used in connection with the works, or by traffic officers, or to any vehicle
	proceeding at the direction, or with the permission, of a constable, or a traffic officer in
	uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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