2012 No. 3308

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A49 Trunk Road (Hereford to Llandinabo, Herefordshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - 24th December 2012

Coming into force - - 31st December 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A49 Trunk Road ("the A49"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road between Hereford and Llandinabo in the District of the County of Herefordshire 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 A49 Trunk Road (Hereford to Llandinabo, Herefordshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 31st December 2012.

2. In this Order –

"the trunk road"

means the northbound and southbound carriageways of the A49 between its roundabout junction with the A465 at Hereford and its junction with the B4348 at Llandinabo;

"layby"

means an area of carriageway intended for the wait of vehicles and bounded partly by a traffic sign of the type shown in diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the traffic Signs Regulations 2002(b) and partly by the outer edge of that carriageway on the same side of the road as that on which the sign is placed; and in this definition "carriageway" means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in the trunk road over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;

⁽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.

"the works period"

means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 7th January 2013 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 articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in 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 enter or proceed in any layby adjacent to the trunk road.
- **5.** Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or leave the trunk road at its junction with any side road.
- **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 articles 3, 4 and 5 shall not apply to any vehicle-
 - (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
 - (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable; or
 - (iii) being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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24th December 2012