

2013 No. 1363

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6 Motorway (Junctions 15 to 16) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - - 24th May 2013

Coming into force - - 31st May 2013

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway (“the M6”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of that motorway and one of those connecting roads in the County of Staffordshire, 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 (Junctions 15 to 16) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 31st May 2013.

2. In this Order –

“the motorway” means the northbound carriageway of the M6 from its junction with the exit slip road at Junction 15 to its junction with the entry slip road at Junction 16;

“a slip road” means the slip road leading –

- i) to the northbound carriageway of the M6 at Junction 15; and
- ii) to the southbound carriageway of the M6 at Junction 15;

"the works period" means the period starting at 22.00 hours on Sunday 2nd June 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.

(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

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the motorway or 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, ambulance or traffic officer 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.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

24th May 2013

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