

2013 No. 2342

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The M1 Motorway (Junctions 21 to 21a, Leicestershire)
(Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2013**

Made - - - - - *23rd August 2013*

Coming into force - - - *30th August 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M1 Motorway (“the M1”), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that motorway in the County of Leicestershire should be restricted 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 M1 Motorway (Junctions 21 to 21a, Leicestershire) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 30th August 2013.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway”	means -
	i) the northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 1000 metres north of the northern underbridge of the roundabout at Junction 21, to a point 500 metres south of Ratby Lane overbridge (Junction 21a); and
	ii) the southbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 1000 metres north of Ratby Lane overbridge (Junction 21a), to a point 2500 metres north of the northern underbridge of the roundabout at Junction 21;

“the works period”	means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Thursday 5th September 2013 and ending when the said works have been completed;
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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, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the motorway.

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 special forces purposes; or
- (b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

23rd August 2013

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