STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 3009

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A449 Trunk Road (Four Ashes to Gailey, Staffordshire) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - - 15th November 2013

Coming into force - - 22nd November 2013

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A449 Trunk Road ("the A449"), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road, between Four Ashes and Gailey in the County of Staffordshire, should be restricted and 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 A449 Trunk Road (Four Ashes to Gailey, Staffordshire) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 22nd November 2013.

2. In this Order –

"the first length of trunk road" means the northbound carriageway of the A449 from a

point 1000 metres south of its junction with Four Ashes

Road to that junction;

"the second length of trunk road" means the northbound and southbound carriageways of

the A449 between the junction with Four Ashes Road and Station Drive and the roundabout junction with the A5 (Gailey Roundabout), including the circulatory

carriageway of that roundabout;

"central reservation" means that part of the trunk road which separates its

carriageways for the safety and guidance of vehicular

traffic using that road;

"the works period" means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Monday

25th November 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 articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to be driven at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the first length of 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 the second length of trunk road or any gap in the central reservation adjacent to the second length of 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 A449 at its junctions with Crateford Lane and Four Ashes 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 -
- (a) articles 3, 4 and 5 shall not apply to any vehicle -
 - (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes; or
 - (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable;
- (b) article 3 shall not apply to any vehicle being used for special forces purposes;
- (c) articles 4 and 5 shall not apply to any vehicle being used in connection with the works; and
- (d) proceeding in the trunk road to or from premises which are accessible for that vehicle from, and only from that road.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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in the Highways Agency

15th November 2013