STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 1148

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M65 Motorway (Junctions 9-10 Eastbound and Westbound Carriageways and Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made - - - - 13th February 2014

Coming into force - - 16th February 2014

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M65 Motorway and its slip roads, is satisfied that traffic on sections of that motorway and on two of those slip roads in the District of Burnley in the County of Lancashire 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 M65 Motorway (Junctions 9-10 Eastbound and Westbound Carriageways and Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 16th February 2014.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M65 Motorway between Junctions 9 and 10;

"the tip of the nosing of the exit slip road" means the last point where the slip road leaves the carriageway of the motorway;

"the tip of the nosing of the entry slip road" means the first point where the slip road joins the carriageway of the motorway;

"works" means resurfacing, retexturing, drainage, associated works and routine maintenance on the motorway;

"the works period" means periods overnight as follows:

- i. starting at 2200 hours on Monday to Thursday and ending at 0500 hours on Tuesday to Friday; and
- ii. starting at 2200 hours on Friday and ending at 0700 hours on Saturday,

during a period starting on Monday 17 February 2014 and ending on Saturday 22 February 2014. 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 works;

⁽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

"the first length of carriageway" means the eastbound carriageway of the motorway from the tip of the nosing of the exit slip road at Junction 9 to the tip of the nosing of the entry slip road at Junction 10;

"the second length of carriageway" means the westbound carriageway of the motorway from the tip of the nosing of the exit slip road at Junction 10 to the tip of the nosing of the entry slip road at Junction 9;

"the first slip road" means the exit slip road leading from the eastbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 10;

"the second slip road" means the entry slip road leading to the westbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 10.

- 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 first and second lengths of carriageway or the first and second slip roads.
- 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 to vehicles being used for winter maintenance purposes 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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