STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 1217

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A585 Trunk Road (Anchorsholme to Morrisons) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made - - - 6th March 2014

Coming into force - - 9th March 2014

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A585 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic on a section of the trunk road in the District of Wyre 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 A585 Trunk Road (Anchorsholme to Morrisons)(Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 9th March 2014.

2. In this Order:

"the Trunk Road" means the A585 Trunk Road

"the length of carriageway" means the carriageway of the trunk road from the first point at which it diverges from the outer ring of the circulatory carriageway of Norcross roundabout, to the last point at which it merges with the outer ring of the circulatory carriageway at Thornton roundabout:

"layby" means an area of carriageway, intended for the waiting of vehicles, bounded partly by a road marking on the outer edge of that carriageway complying with diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002 (b);

"the layby to be closed" means the layby adjacent to the carriageway of the Trunk Road lying west of the carriageway at a point 225 metres north of Norcross roundabout;

"the works period" means four nights between 2000 hours and 0600 hours during a period starting on Monday 10 March 2014 and ending on Friday 14 March 2014. However, works may start and continue between the same times on subsequent nights or continue overnight until completed, for such period not exceeding 18 months as shall be required to complete the work;

"works" means resurfacing and routine maintenance works on the trunk road;

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 of this Order, during the works period, no person shall cause or permit any motor vehicle to enter or proceed in the length of carriageway or the layby to be closed.

⁽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.

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 a vehicle being used for emergency purposes by the police, fire and rescue or ambulance services, vehicles being used in connection with the works or winter maintenance, 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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