STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 1467

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M5 Motorway (Junction 29 Slip Roads) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made - - - - 20th May 2014

Coming into force - - 24th May 2014

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M5 Motorway ("the M5") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on some of those connecting roads at Junction 29 in the County of Devon 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) and regulation 16(2) of the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(b), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the M5 Motorway (Junction 29 Slip Roads) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 24th May 2014 and apply for a period of twelve months.

2. In this Order –

"the first slip road" means the northbound exit slip road at M5 Junction 29;

"the second slip road" means the northbound entry slip road at M5 Junction 29;

"the hard shoulder" means the hard shoulder within the meaning of regulation 3(1)(e) of the Regulations which is adjacent to the second slip road;

"the Regulations" mean the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982;

"the works" mean general maintenance works including road markings and surfacing;

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 21.00 hours on Monday 26th May 2014 or on any subsequent day 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.

- **3.** Subject as mentioned in articles 4 and 5, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the first 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:

⁽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. 1982/1163, as amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364, 1995/158, 1996/3053, 2004/3168, 2004/3258 and 2006/594.

- (a) a vehicle being used for police, traffic officer, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform;
- (c) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works or for traffic officer purposes.
- **5.** During a works period, regulation 5 and (insofar as it relates to a vehicle being driven) regulation 9 of the Regulations are hereby suspended, in respect of the hard shoulder, at such times and to such extent as may from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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20th May 2014