2014 No. 2516

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M25 and the M1 Motorways (M25 Junction 21 and M1 Junction 6A) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made - - - - 15th September 2014

Coming into force - - 5th October 2014

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M25 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on some of those connecting roads 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 M25 and the M1 Motorways (M25 Junction 21 and M1 Junction 6A) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 5th October 2014.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M25 Motorway in the County of Hertfordshire;

"a slip road" means -

- (i) the road leading from the clockwise carriageway of the motorway at Junction 21 to the tip of the nosing of the merging of the slip road from the anticlockwise carriageway of the motorway, or
- (ii) the road leading from the tip of the nosing of the diverging of the slip roads to the clockwise and anti-clockwise carriageways of the motorway from the southbound carriageway of the M1 Junction 6A, to the tip of the nosing of the entry road to the anticlockwise carriageway of the motorway;

"works" means drainage repairs and maintenance to drainage interceptors and all associated work on the motorway; and

"a works period" means a period of -

- (i) 7½ hours starting at 2200 hours on Tuesday 7th October 2014 or on any subsequent day other than a Friday, Saturday or Sunday, or
- (ii) 7 hours starting at 2300 hours on Friday 10th October 2014 or on any subsequent Friday;

until Monday 4th April 2016.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road.

⁽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.

- **4.** The provisions of article 3 above 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) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;
 - (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;
 - (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform; or
 - (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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