## 2014 No. 673

## **ROAD TRAFFIC**

## The A38 Trunk Road (Plymouth) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2014

Made	-	-	-	-	25th February 2014
Coming i	nto fe	orce	-	-	1st March 2014

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A38 Trunk Road ("the A38") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road and one of those connecting roads at Plymouth in the County of Devon should be restricted 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 A38 Trunk Road (Plymouth) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 1st March 2014.

2. In this Order –

"the A38" means both carriageways of the A38 from a point at the centre of the Lee Mill Underbridge to a point at the centre of the Manadon Interchange, Plymouth;

"the slip road" means the eastbound entry slip road at the A38 Marsh Mills Junction;

"the works" mean the construction of two crossover points as part of the A38 Merafield Road Bridge Reconstruction scheme;

"the works period" means the period starting at 00.01 hours on Monday 3rd March 2014 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 the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the A38 and the 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) a vehicle being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable.

<sup>(</sup>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;

**5.** No speed limit imposed by this order applies to vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011 when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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25th February 2014