STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 535

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M4 Motorway (Junction 3) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015

Made		-	-	-	16th February 2015
Coming in	to for	ce	-	-	7th March 2015

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M4 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on one 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 M4 Motorway (Junction 3) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015 and shall come into force on 7th March 2015.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M4 Motorway in the London Boroughs of Hounslow and Hillingdon;

"the slip road" means the road leading to the westbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 3 (A312);

"works" mean cyclic maintenance and/or urgent repair work; and

"a works period" means a period of -

- (i) 7¹/₂ hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 9th March 2015 or on any subsequent day other than a Friday, Saturday or Sunday,
- 7 hours starting at 2300 hours on Friday 13th March 2015 or on any subsequent Friday,
- (iii) 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Saturday 14th March 2015 or on any subsequent Saturday, or
- (iv) 7 hours starting at 2230 hours on Sunday 15th March 2015 or on any subsequent Sunday,

until Thursday 6th September 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 the 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, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority 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

16th February 2015

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