2011 No. 430 (W.61)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A465 Trunk Road (Llandarcy to Cwmgwrach, Neath Port Talbot) (Temporary Traffic Restrictions and Prohibitions) Order 2011

Made

17 February 2011

Coming into force

1 March 2011

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant lengths of the Neath – Abergavenny Trunk Road (A465) (hereinafter referred to as "the trunk road"), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited and restricted by reason of works proposed to be executed thereon.

The Welsh Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) and of all other enabling powers(2), make this Order.

1. This Order comes into force on 1 March 2011. The title to this Order is The A465 Trunk Road (Llandarcy to Cwmgwrach, Neath Port Talbot) (Temporary Traffic Restrictions and Prohibitions) Order 2011.

2.—1) In this Order:

"the lengths of the trunk road" ("*y darnau o'r gefnffordd*") means the lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedules to this Order.

"works period," ("*cyfnod y gwaith*") means that period commencing at 00.01 hours on 1 March 2011 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed;

"exempted vehicle" ("cerbyd esempt") means any vehicle being used by the emergency services and in connection with the works giving rise to this Order.

(2) Any reference in this Order to a numbered article or Schedule is a reference to the article or Schedule bearing that number in this Order.

3. Subject to the provisions of article 6, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed along the lengths of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1.

4. Subject to the provisions of article 6, no person shall, during the works period, ride, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour, in the lengths of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2.

5. Subject to the provisions of article 6, no person shall, during the works period, ride, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour, in the lengths of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2.

6. The provisions of article 3, 4, and 5 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as the application of the prohibition and restriction referred to therein is indicated by traffic signs.

7. The maximum duration for this Order shall be 12 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for the Economy and Transport, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the 17 February 2011

J COLLINS

Deputy Director, Infrastructure Delivery Welsh Assembly Government

- (1) 1984 c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.
- (2) By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, article 2 and Schedule 1, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

EXTENT OF TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF ALL VEHICLES.

i) That length of the northbound carriageway of the trunk road which extends from a point at the start of the northbound on slip road at Tonna/Aberdulais Roundabout to the give way markings of the circulatory carriageway of Resolven Roundabout.

ii) That length of the southbound carriageway of the trunk road which extends from a point at the exit of Resolven Roundabout to the physical nosing of the start of the start of the off slip road to Tonna/Aberdulais Roundabout.

iii) That length of the northbound carriageway of the trunk road which extends from a point at the exit of Resolven roundabout to a point at the give way markings of the circulatory carriageway of Blaengwrach/Cwmgwrach Roundabout.

iv) That length of the southbound carriageway of the trunk road which extends from a point at the exit of Blaengwrach/Cwmgwrach roundabout to a point at the give way markings of the circulatory carriageway of Resolven Roundabout.

SCHEDULE 2

EXTENT OF TEMPORARY 40 AND 10 MPH SPEED LIMITS.

i) Those lengths of the northbound and southbound carriageways of the trunk road which extend from a point at the exit of Llandarcy Roundabout to a point at the centre of Aberdulais Roundabout.

ii) That length of the southbound on slip road at Aberdulais Roundabout which extends from the mid point of the said slip road to its merge with the main southbound carriageway of the trunk road.