WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 2381 (W. 229)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A40/A449 Trunk Road (Raglan Interchange, Monmouthshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2013

Made 16 September 2013

Coming into force 23 September 2013

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the Newport – Worcester Trunk Road (A40/A449) (hereinafter referred to as "the trunk road"), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited 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.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 23 September 2013 and its title is The A40/A449 Trunk Road (Raglan Interchange, Monmouthshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2013.

2. (1) In this Order:

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

"the lengths of the trunk road" ("y darnau o'r gefnffordd") means:

i. the length of the A40/A449 southbound entry slip road at Raglan Interchange in the County of Monmouthshire that extends from its diverge with the A40 northbound entry slip road to its merge with the main southbound carriageway of the A449;

ii. the length of the A40/A449 southbound exit slip road at Raglan Interchange in the County of Monmouthshire that extends from its diverge with the A40/A449 to its merge with the westbound carriageway of the A40;

"works period" ("cyfnod y gwaith") means the period commencing at 20:00 hours on 23 September 2013 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

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

Prohibition

3. Subject to the provisions of article 4, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to be driven in the lengths of the trunk road.

Application

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

Duration of this Order

5. The maximum duration of this Order shall be 18 months.

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

Dated the

16 September 2013

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Head of Asset Management and Standards Welsh 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.