WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 2623 (W. 259)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A494 Trunk Road (Brithdir Junction, Nr. Brithdir, Gwynedd) (Temporary Traffic Restrictions and Prohibitions) Order 2013

Made 14 October 2013

Coming into force 21 October 2013

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the Dolgellau – South of Birkenhead Trunk Road (A494) (hereinafter referred to as "the trunk road"), are satisfied that traffic in a specified length of the trunk road should be restricted and prohibited by reason of works proposed to be executed thereon.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, 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 21 October 2013 and its title is The A494 Trunk Road (Brithdir Junction, Nr. Brithdir, Gwynedd) (Temporary Traffic Restrictions and Prohibitions) Order 2013.

2.—(1) In this Order:

"the length of the trunk road" ("y darn o'r gefnffordd") means the length of the trunk road near Brithdir in the County of Gwynedd that extends from a point 425 metres west of its junction with the B4416 to a point 380 metres east of the said junction;

"works period" ("cyfnod y gwaith") means that period commencing at 07:30 hours on 21 October 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.

Prohibitions and Restrictions

- **3.** Subject to the provisions of article 7, 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 length of the trunk road.
- **4.** Subject to the provisions of article 7, 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 length of the trunk road.
- **5.** Subject to the provisions of article 7, no person shall, during the works period, use or permit the use of a vehicle in such a way that it overtakes any other vehicle in the length of the trunk road during such times as the restriction referred to in article 4 is in operation.
- **6.** Subject to the provisions of article 7, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to be driven in the length of the trunk road.

Application

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

Duration of this Order

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

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

Dated the

14 October 2013

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(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 of the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.