WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A5 Trunk Road (Chirk Bypass, Wrexham County Borough) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles & Cyclists) Order 2015

Made 27 March 2015 Coming into force 1 April 2015

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the London – Holyhead Trunk Road (A5) ("the trunk road"), are satisfied that traffic in a specified length of the trunk road should be prohibited because of works proposed on or near the road.

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 1 April 2015. Its title is The A5 Trunk Road (Chirk Bypass, Wrexham County Borough) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles & Cyclists) Order 2015.

2. (1) In this Order:

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

"the length of the trunk road" ("y darn o'r gefnffordd") means the length of the trunk road known as Chirk Bypass in the County Borough of Wrexham that extends from the Wales/England border to its junction with the southern side of Halton Roundabout;

"works period" ("cyfnod y gwaith") means the period commencing at 19:00 hours on 1 April 2015 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

- **3.** Subject to the provisions of article 5, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed in the length of the trunk road.
- **4.** Subject to the provisions of article 5, no person shall, during the works period, ride or cause any pedal cycle to be ridden in the length of the trunk road.

Application

5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 apply only during such times and to such extent as the application of the prohibitions referred to therein are indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

6. The maximum duration of this Order shall be 12 months.

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

Dated the 27 March 2015 *R Morgan* **R MORGAN**

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
- (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.