WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The M4 Motorway & A470 Trunk Road (Coryton Interchange, Cardiff to Cefn Coed Roundabout, Merthyr Tydfil) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles & Cyclists) Order 2017

Made 10 July 2017

Coming into force 17 July 2017

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the M4 London – South Wales Motorway and the A470 Cardiff to Llangurig Trunk Road, are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the motorway and 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), (4) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1), make this order.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 17 July 2017 and its title is The M4 Motorway & A470 Trunk Road (Coryton Interchange, Cardiff to Cefn Coed Roundabout, Merthyr Tydfil) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles & Cyclists) Order 2017.

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 motorway" ("y draffordd") and "the trunk road" ("y gefnffordd") means the M4 London to

^{(1) 1984} c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. 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 (c.32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

South Wales Motorway and the A470 Cardiff to Llangurig Trunk Road from Coryton Interchange in the City and County of Cardiff to Cefn Coed Roundabout in the County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil specified in the Schedule;

"works period" ("cyfnod y gwaith") means that period commencing at 20:00 hours on 17 July 2017 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

Prohibitions and Restrictions

- **3.** No person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle (emergency services vehicles will be exempt where possible), to proceed in the length of the motorway and the lengths of the trunk road.
- **4.** No person shall, during the works period, ride or cause to be ridden any pedal cycle in the lengths of the motorway and the lengths of the trunk road.

Revocations

5. The M4 Motorway & A470 Trunk Road (Coryton Interchange, Cardiff to Bridge Street Interchange, Pontypridd, Rhondda Cynon Taf) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2016 **(2)** is revoked

Application

6. The prohibitions in article 3 and 4 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

7. The maximum duration for this Order shall be 18 months.

Signed under authority of the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Infrastructure, one of the Welsh Ministers

Date

10 July 2017

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