2018 No. 671 (W. 128)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A5 Trunk Road (Antelope Roundabout, Gwynedd to Anglesey Arms Roundabout, Anglesey) (Temporary Traffic Prohibitions and 30 mph Speed Limit) Order 2018

Made	31 May 2018
Coming into force	3 June 2018

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A5 London to Holyhead Trunk Road, are satisfied that all traffic on specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited and restricted by reason of a filming event being held on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1), make this Order.

Title, Commencement and Interpretation

1. The title of this Order is the A5 Trunk Road (Antelope Roundabout, Gwynedd to Anglesey Arms Roundabout, Anglesey) (Temporary Traffic Prohibitions and 30 mph Speed Limit) Order 2018 and it comes into force on 3 June 2018.

2.—(1) In this Order:

"exempted vehicle" ("cerbyd esempt") means:

- (a) any vehicle being used by the emergency services;
- (b) any vehicle being used in connection with works to the road or lighting or traffic signs or

^{(1) 1984} c.27. Section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994, section 1(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.27), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

emergency works to any sewer or to any main or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or telecommunications in, or in any land adjacent to, a length of road concerned;

- (c) any vehicle used by an authorised Filming Event official in support of and for safety reasons of the Event
- (d) any vehicle being used for naval, military or air force purposes and being driven by a person for the time being subject to the orders of a member of the armed forces of the Crown, who is a member of the special forces—
 - (i) in response, or for practice in responding, to a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving at high speeds; or
 - (ii) for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds;

"special forces" (*"lluoedd arbennig"*) means those units of the armed forces the maintenance of whose capabilities is the responsibility of the Director of Special Forces or which are for the time being subject to the operational command of that Director;

"the trunk road" ("*y gefnffordd*") means the length of the A5 London to Holyhead trunk road.

"closure period" ("*y cyfnod cau*") means the period commencing at 03:00 hours on 3 June 2018 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 Restriction

3. No person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle specified in article 2. (1) (i), (ii) and (iii), to proceed in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1 to this Order.

4. No person shall, during the works period, ride or cause to be ridden any pedal cycle in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1 to this Order.

5. No pedestrian shall, during the works period, proceed in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1 to this Order.

6. No person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2 to this Order.

Suspension

7. Any statutory provisions restricting the speed of vehicles on the relevant length of the trunk road are suspended during such times as the restriction specified in article 6 is in operation.

Application

8.—(1) The prohibitions and restriction in articles 3, 4, 5 and 6 shall apply, only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

(2) No speed limit imposed by this Order applies to an exempted vehicle specified in article 2. (1) (i) and (iv).

Duration of this Order

9. The maximum duration of this Order shall be one month.

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

Dated the 31 May 2018

Richard Morgan Head of Asset Management Standards Welsh Government

SCHEDULE 1

Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles, Cyclists and Pedestrians

The length of the trunk road that extends from its junction with Antelope Roundabout in Gwynedd to its junction with Anglesey Arms Roundabout in Anglesey.

SCHEDULE 2

Temporary 30 mph Speed Limit

The length of the trunk road that extends from its junction with Antelope Roundabout to the location of the existing 30 mph terminal signs at the southern end of the Menai Suspension Bridge in Gwynedd