

**2023 No. 342 (W. 49)**

**ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES**

**The A458 Trunk Road (Welshpool,  
Powys) (Temporary Prohibition of  
Vehicles and Cyclists) Order 2023**

*Made* 20 March 2023

*Coming into force* 26 March 2023

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A458 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited due to the Welshpool 10K Run 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 and commencement**

1. The title of this Order is the A458 Trunk Road (Welshpool, Powys) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles and Cyclists) Order 2023 and this Order comes into force on 26 March 2023.

**Interpretation**

2. In this Order—

“closure period” (“*y cyfnod cau*”) means that period commencing at 05:00 hours on 26 March 2022 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means:

- (i) any vehicle being used by the emergency services;

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(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. 32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

- (ii) any vehicle being used in connection with works to the road or lighting or traffic signs or 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; or
- (iii) any vehicle being used by an authorised official in support of and for safety reasons in connection with the Welshpool 10K run event.

“the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the A458 Shrewsbury to Dolgellau trunk road.

### **Prohibitions**

3. No person may, during the closure period, drive any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, on the lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedule to this Order.

4. No person may, during the closure period, ride any pedal cycle on the lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedule to this Order.

### **Application**

5. The prohibitions in articles 3 and 4 apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

### **Duration of this Order**

6. The maximum duration of this Order is 1 day.

Signed on behalf of the Deputy Minister for Climate Change, acting under the authority of the Minister for Climate Change, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated

20 March 2023

*Nicci Hunter*  
Business Team Leader  
Welsh Government

## **SCHEDULE**

### **Prohibition of Vehicles and Cyclists**

1. The length of the A458 trunk road known as Broad Street and High Street that extends from the junction

of Broad Street with Berriew Street, Church Street and Severn Street to the junction of High Street with Jehu Road.

2. The length of the A458 trunk road known as Berriew Street and Berriew Road that extends from the junction of Berriew Road with the C2005 Red Lane to the junction of Berriew Street with Broad Street, Church Street and Severn Street.