2010 No. 2171

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A500 Trunk Road (Etruria to Porthill, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire) (Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

> Made - - - - 23 August 2010 Coming into force - - 30 August 2010

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A500 Trunk Road ("the A500") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on those connecting roads between Etruria and Porthill in the County of Staffordshire should be prohibited because works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A500 Trunk Road (Etruria to Porthill, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire) (Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 30 August 2010.

2. In this Order:

"a slip road"

means any slip road leading to or from the A500 at-

- (i) its roundabout junction with the A53 Etruria Road;
- (ii) its roundabout junctions with the A527 at Wolstanton; and
- (iii) its roundabout junction with the A527 at Porthill;

"the works period"

means the period starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 6 September 2010 and ending when the said works have been completed,

⁽a) 1984 c.27; a new section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to the article in this Order which bears that number.

- **3.** Subject as mentioned in articles 4 and 5, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road.
- **4.** The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.
 - 5. The provisions of article 3 shall not apply to any vehicle-
 - (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes,
 - (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable, or
 - (iii) being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

23 August 2010