

2011 No. 2395

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The M621 Motorway (Gildersome Interchange to Junction 1)
(Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011**

Made - - - 22nd September 2011

Coming into force - 5th October 2011

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M621 Motorway and connecting roads in the District of Leeds, in the County of West Yorkshire, is satisfied that traffic on that motorway should be restricted and prohibited because concrete removal works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the M621 Motorway (Gildersome Interchange to Junction 1) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 5th October 2011.

2. Subject as mentioned in article 3 of this Order, no person shall, during a period of 6 hours starting at 23.00 hours on Thursday 6th October 2011 or any subsequent night thereafter until the said works have been completed, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the M621 Motorway clockwise carriageway from a point 500 metres west of to a point 500 metres east of the centreline of Asquith Avenue overbridge, a distance of 1000 metres.

3. The provisions of article 2 of this order shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall, from time to time, be indicated by traffic signs and shall not apply to:

- (a) a vehicle being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) a vehicle being used for, or in connection with, the said works, or for traffic officer purposes; or
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform.

4. The provisions of regulations 5 and (in so far as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(b) are suspended in relation to the hard shoulders adjacent to the M621 Motorway as described in article 2 at such times and to such extent as may, from time to time, be indicated by traffic signs; and in this article "hard shoulder" has the meaning given in regulation 3(1)(e) of those Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

22nd September 2011

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(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.
(b) S.I. 1982/1163; amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364.