2013 No. 2411

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M2 Motorway (Junction 6, Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - - 9th September 2013

Coming into force - - 28th September 2013

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M2 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on some of those connecting roads 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), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the M2 Motorway (Junction 6, Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 28th September 2013.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M2 Motorway in the County of Kent;

"a slip road" means –

- (i) the road leading from the coastbound carriageway of the motorway to the A251(Ashford Road) at Junction 6,
- (ii) the road leading to the coastbound carriageway of the motorway from the A251 (Ashford Road) at Junction 6,
- (iii) the road leading from the Londonbound carriageway of the motorway to the A251 (Ashford Road) at Junction 6, or
- (iv) the road leading to the Londonbound carriageway of the motorway from the A251 (Ashford Road) at Junction 6;

"works" mean resurfacing and all associated carriageway works on the motorway; and

- "a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 30th September 2013 or on any subsequent day until 27th September 2015.
- **3.** Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road.
- **4.** The provisions of article 3 above shall apply only at 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 in connection with the said works;
 - (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;

⁽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.

- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform; or
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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9th September 2013