

**2013 No. 2481**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A40 Trunk Road (Ross-on-Wye to the Welsh Border,  
Herefordshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013**

*Made* - - - - *13th September 2013*  
*Coming into force* - - *20th September 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A40 Trunk Road (“the A40”), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road, between Ross-on-Wye and the Welsh Border in the District of the County of Herefordshire, 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), hereby makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the A40 Trunk Road (Ross-on-Wye to the Welsh Border, Herefordshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 20th September 2013.

2. In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the westbound carriageway of the A40 from its roundabout junction with the A449 and B4234 (Overcross Roundabout) to the Welsh Border;

“the works period” means the period starting at 22:00 hours on Monday 23rd September 2013 and ending when the said works have been completed;

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 article 4, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the trunk road.

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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.

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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 and shall not apply to any vehicle-

- (a) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
- (b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable;
- (c) being used in connection with the said works; or
- (d) proceeding in the trunk road to or from premises which are accessible for that vehicle from, and only from that road.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

13th September 2013

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