2013 No. 865

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A27 Trunk Road (West of Falmer Interchange – East of Ashcombe Roundabout) (Temporary 50 Miles Per Hour Speed Restriction) Order 2013

Made - - - - 18th February 2013

Coming into force - - 9th March 2013

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A27 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted on a length of that road 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 A27 Trunk Road (West of Falmer Interchange – East of Ashcombe Roundabout) (Temporary 50 Miles Per Hour Speed Restriction) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 9th March 2013.

2. In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A27 Trunk Road near Brighton in the City of Brighton and Hove and the County of East Sussex;

"the length of trunk road" means both carriageways of the trunk road between a point 460 metres west of the A270 underbridge west of Falmer and a point 150 metres east of Ashcombe roundabout (A277 Brighton Road);

"works" mean drainage work on the trunk road; and

"a works period" means a period of 10 hours starting at 2000 hours on Monday 11th March 2013 or on any subsequent day until 8th September 2014.

- **3.** Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the length of trunk 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 vehicle being used for police, ambulance or fire and rescue authority purposes and to vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011(**b**) when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations.

⁽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. 2011/935.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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18th February 2013