2015 No. 1197

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6 Motorway (Junctions 15 to 13) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015

Made---9th March 2015Coming into force--16th March 2015

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway ("the M6") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of the M6 and some of those connecting roads, 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**), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the M6 Motorway (Junctions 15 to 13) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015 and shall come into force on Monday 16th March 2015.

2. In this Order –	
"the motorway"	means the southbound carriageway of the M6 from the junction with the exit slip road at Junction 15, to the junction with the entry slip road at Junction 13;
"a slip road"	 means the slip roads leading – a) to the southbound carriageway of the M6 at – i. Junction 15; ii. Junction 14; and b) to and from the southbound carriageway of the M6 at the Doxey motorway maintenance depot;
"the works period"	means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 23rd March 2015 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.

(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

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed on the motorway or 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 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; or
- c) being used in connection with the said works or by, or with the permission of, a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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9th March 2015