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ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A487 Trunk Road (Caernarfon
Bypass, Gwynedd) (Temporary
Prohibition of Vehicles, Cyclists &
Pedestrians) Order 2024**

Made 9 September 2024

Coming into force 18 September 2024

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A487 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on a specified length of the trunk road should be prohibited by reason of a filming event being held on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1), make this Order.

Title and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the A487 Trunk Road (Caernarfon Bypass, Gwynedd) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles, Cyclists & Pedestrians) Order 2024 and this Order comes into force on 18 September 2024.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“event period” (“*cyfnod y digwyddiad*”) means that period commencing at 11:00 hours on 18 September 2024 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed;

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means—

- (i) any vehicle being used for police, fire or ambulance services purposes;
- (ii) any vehicle being used in connection with works to the road or lighting or

(1) 1984 c. 27. Section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c. 11), section 1(1). By virtue of S.I. 1999/672 and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), these functions are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

traffic signs or emergency works to any sewer or to any main or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or telecommunications in, or in any land adjacent to, a length of road concerned;

- (iii) any vehicle used by an authorised event official in support of and for reasons of the safety of the relevant event;

“the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the length of the A487 Fishguard to Bangor trunk road known as the Caernarfon Bypass that extends from its junction with the Goat Roundabout, near Llanwnda to its junction with Meifod Roundabout, near Bontnewydd, Gwynedd.

Prohibitions

3. No person may, during the event period, drive any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, on the length of the trunk road.

4. No person may, during the event period, ride any pedal cycle on the length of the trunk road.

5. No pedestrian may, during the event period, proceed on the length of the trunk road.

Application

6. The prohibitions in articles 3, 4 and 5 apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

7. The maximum duration of this Order is 1 day.

Signed on behalf of the Cabinet Secretary for the Economy, Transport and North Wales, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated

9 September 2024

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