

2010 No. 2151

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A21 Trunk Road (Morley's Interchange – Vauxhall Lane Junction) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - - 23rd August 2010

Coming into force - - 11th September 2010

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A21 Trunk Road and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on a length of that road and 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 A21 Trunk Road (Morley's Interchange – Vauxhall Lane Junction) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 11th September 2010.

2. In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the A21 Trunk Road near Tonbridge in the County of Kent;

“the length of trunk road” means both carriageways of the trunk road between Morley's Interchange (A225/B245) and Vauxhall Lane junction (A2014);

“a slip road” means –

- (i) the road leading from the A225 and the B245 to the southbound carriageway of the trunk road at Morley's Interchange,
- (ii) the road leading from the A2014 to the northbound carriageway of the trunk road at Vauxhall Lane junction, or
- (iii) the road leading from the A26 to the northbound carriageway of the trunk road at Quarry Hill Interchange;

“works” mean bridge maintenance work on the trunk road; and

“a works period” means a period of 9 hours starting at 2100 hours on Monday 13th September 2010 or on any subsequent day until 10th March 2012.

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 the length of trunk road or 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;

(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) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;
- (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

23rd August 2010

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