

**2010 No. 3055**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The M4 Motorway (Junctions 4A – 4 Heathrow Spur,  
Northbound) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2010**

*Made* - - - - - *13th December 2010*  
*Coming into force* - - - - - *8th January 2011*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M4 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted on one 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) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the M4 Motorway (Junctions 4A – 4 Heathrow Spur, Northbound) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 8th January 2011.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway” means the M4 Motorway near West Drayton in the London Borough of Hillingdon;

“the Regulations” means the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(b);

“the length of carriageway” means the northbound carriageway of the motorway Heathrow Spur between Junction 4A and Junction 4;

“a hard shoulder” means the hard shoulder, within the meaning of regulation 3(1)(e) of the Regulations, which is adjacent to the length of carriageway;

“works” mean anti-skid surfacing and signing work on the motorway; and

“a works period” means a period of –

- (i) 7½ hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 10th January 2011 or on any subsequent day other than a Friday, Saturday or Sunday,
- (ii) 7 hours starting at 2300 hours on Friday 14th January 2011 or on any subsequent Friday,
- (iii) 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Saturday 15th January 2011 or on any subsequent Saturday, or
- (iv) 7 hours starting at 2230 hours on Sunday 16th January 2011 or on any subsequent Sunday,

until 7th July 2012.

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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.

(b) S.I. 1982/1163; amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364, 1995/158, 2004/3258.

**3.** Subject as mentioned in articles 4 and 5 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on a hard shoulder.

**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.

**5.** During a works period, the provisions of regulations 5 and (insofar as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Regulations are hereby suspended, in respect of a hard shoulder, at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

*13th December 2010*

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