

**2011 No. 2657**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A40 Trunk Road (Churcham, Gloucestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011**

*Made* - - - - - *26th October 2011*

*Coming into force* - - - - - *29th October 2011*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A40 Trunk Road (“the A40”), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road near Churcham in the District of Forest of Dean in the County of Gloucester 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 A40 Trunk Road (Churcham, Gloucestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 29th October 2011.

2. In this Order –

“layby” means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles, bounded partly by a road marking on the outer edge of that carriageway complying with diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(b); and in this definition “carriageway” means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in the trunk road over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;

“the works” means water main works;

“the works period” means the period starting at 07.30 hours on Monday 31st October 2011 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.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during the works period:

- (a) cause or permit any vehicle to enter, proceed or remain in the layby adjacent to the A40 eastbound, situated 30 metres east of Bulley Lane, Churcham;
- (b) enter or proceed in the footpath adjacent to the A40 from a point 30 metres east of Bulley Lane, Churcham, to a point 110 metres east of Bulley Lane, Churcham.

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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. 2002/3113; Part I

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:

- (a) a vehicle being used for police, traffic officer, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform;
- (c) a vehicle being used for or in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

26th October 2011

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