

2012 No. 1182

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The A3(M) Motorway (Junctions 2 – 3, Southbound)
(Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012**

Made - - - - - *23rd April 2012*

Coming into force - - - - - *12th May 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A3(M) Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on a length of that motorway and 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) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A3(M) Motorway (Junctions 2 – 3, Southbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 12th May 2012.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway” means the A3(M) Motorway south of Horndean in the County of Hampshire;

“the length of southbound carriageway” means the southbound carriageway of the motorway between Junction 2 (B2149) and Junction 3 (B2150 – Hulbert Road);

“the slip road” means the road leading from the B2149 to the southbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 2 (B2149);

“works” mean carriageway repairs, loop replacement and all associated work on the motorway; and

“a works period” means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Thursday 17th May 2012 or on any subsequent day until 11th November 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 southbound carriageway or the 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;
- (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;

(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.

- (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 April 2012

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