

2012 No. 1299

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M5 Motorway (Junctions 11A -12) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - - *9th May 2012*
Coming into force - - *16th May 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M5 Motorway (“the M5”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road and one of those connecting roads at Junction 11A in the County of Gloucestershire 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 M5 Motorway (Junctions 11A -12) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 16th May 2012.

2. In this Order –

“the M5” means the southbound carriageway of the M5 between the tip of the nosing of the southbound exit slip road at Junction 11A and the tip of the nosing of the southbound entry slip road at Junction 12;

“the slip road” means the southbound entry slip road at M5 Junction 11A;

“tip of the nosing” means the first point where an entry slip road joins the carriageway of a motorway or the last point where an exit slip road leaves the carriageway of a motorway;

“the works” mean resurfacing, road markings, node markers, studs and installation of loops;

“a works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 20.00 hours on Friday 18th May 2012 or on any subsequent day 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 a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the M5 and the slip road.

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;

(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) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform;
- (c) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

9th May 2012

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