

2012 No. 2969

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6 Motorway (North of Junction 15) (Temporary 50 Miles Per Hour Speed Restriction) Order 2012

Made - - - - 12th November 2012

Coming into force - - 19th November 2012

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway (“the M6”), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that motorway in the County of Staffordshire should be restricted 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 M6 Motorway (North of Junction 15) (Temporary 50 Miles Per Hour Speed Restriction) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 19th November 2012.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway” means the northbound carriageway of the M6 from a point 1100 metres north of the centreline of the Junction 15 overbridge to a point 920 metres north of the centreline of Lymes Road underbridge at Springpool Wood;

“the works period” means the period starting at 20:30 hours on Monday 26th November 2012 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, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the motorway.

(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.

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 any vehicle –

- (a) being used for police, fire brigade, ambulance or special forces purposes; or
- (b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

12th November 2012

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