

2012 No. 450

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The M61 Motorway (Northbound Entry Slip Road from the
A580 Westbound)
(Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012**

Made - - - - *15th February 2012*

Coming into force - - *19th February 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M61 Motorway and its slip roads is satisfied that traffic on one of those slip roads in the District of Salford in Greater Manchester should be prohibited because works are proposed to be executed thereon and in that vicinity:

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 M61 Motorway (Northbound Entry Slip Road from the A580 Westbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 19th February 2012.

2. In this Order:

“the slip road” means the entry slip road leading to the northbound carriageway of the M61 Motorway from the A580 Westbound;

“the works period” means four nights between 2200 hours and 0500 hours starting on Monday 20 February 2012 and ending on Friday 24 February 2012. However, works may start and continue between the same times on subsequent nights or continue overnight until completed, for such period not exceeding 18 months as shall be required to complete the work;

“works” means bridge joint replacement works.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 of this Order, during the works period, no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the slip road.

(a) 1984 c.27; a new section 14 was submitted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), Section 1(1) and Schedule 1.

4. The provisions of article 3 of this Order 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 any vehicle being used for emergency purposes by the police, fire and rescue or ambulance services, vehicles being used in connection with the works, or by traffic officers, or to any vehicle proceeding at the direction, or with the permission, of a constable, or a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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