

2012 No. 851

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M18 Motorway (Junction 6) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - 14th March 2012

Coming into force - 18th March 2012

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M18 Motorway and connecting roads, in the District of Doncaster, in the County of South Yorkshire, is satisfied that traffic on that motorway and some of those connecting roads should be restricted and prohibited because carriageway resurfacing and traffic loop reinstallation works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the M18 Motorway (Junction 6) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 18th March 2012.

2. Subject as mentioned in article 3 of this Order, no person shall, during a period of 14 hours starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 19th March 2012 or any subsequent night thereafter until the said works have been completed, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the M18 Motorway:

- (i) northbound carriageway from the nose of the northbound exit slip road to the nose of the northbound entry slip road at Junction 6 (Thorne), a distance of 700 metres;
- (ii) southbound carriageway from the nose of the southbound exit slip road to the nose of the southbound entry slip road at Junction 6, a distance of 700 metres;
- (iii) northbound exit slip road at Junction 6;
- (iv) northbound entry slip road at Junction 5 (North Ings); or
- (v) circulatory carriageway at Junction 5.

3. The provisions of article 2 of this Order 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, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) a vehicle being used for, or in connection with, the said works, or for traffic officer or winter maintenance purposes; or
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform.

(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 regulations 5 and (in so far as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(a) are suspended in relation to the hard shoulders adjacent to the M18 Motorway northbound carriageway from a point 50 metres north of Ings Farm Underpass northwards for a distance of 500 metres at such times and to such extent as may, from time to time, be indicated by traffic signs; and in this article “hard shoulder” has the meaning given in regulation 3(1)(e) of those Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

14th March 2012

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(a) S.I. 1982/1163; amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364.