

2013 No. 1381

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6, M42 and M6 Toll Motorways (M6 Junction 4 to Junction 3) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - - 10th May 2013

Coming into force - - 17th May 2013

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway (“the M6”), the M42 Motorway (“the M42”), the M6 Toll Motorway (“M6 Toll”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on lengths of the M6 and the M6 Toll and on two of those connecting roads, in the County of Warwickshire, 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 M6, M42 and M6 Toll Motorways (M6 Junction 4 to Junction 3) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 17th May 2013.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway” means –

- i) the southbound carriageway of the M6 from its junction with the exit slip road at junction 4 to its junction with the entry slip road at Junction 3; and
- ii) the southbound carriageway of the M6 Toll from its point of divergence from the M42 (north of Junction 7a) to its junction with the southbound carriageway of the M6;

“the slip road” means the slip road leading to the southbound carriageway of the M6 at Junction 4;

“the link road” means the link road leading from the northbound carriageway of the M42 at Junction 7a to the southbound carriageway of the M6;

(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

“the works period”

means the period starting at 21:30 hours on Monday 20th May 2013 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, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed on the motorway, the slip road or the link 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 any vehicle –

- (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
- (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable, or traffic officer in uniform, or
- (iii) being used in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

10th May 2013

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