

2013 No. 1503

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The M5 Motorway (Junction 21 Slip Roads) (Temporary
Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013**

Made - - - - *18th June 2013*

Coming into force - - *22nd June 2013*

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 those connecting roads at Junction 21 in North Somerset 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 (Junction 21 Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 22nd June 2013.

2. In this Order –

“the slip roads” mean the northbound and southbound entry and exit slip roads at M5 Junction 21;

“the works” mean the road improvement scheme at M5 Junction 21 including planing, surfacing, road markings, safety fencing, street lighting, earthworks and general civils;

“a first works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 24th June 2013 or on any subsequent day and ending when the said works have been completed;

“a second works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 21.00 hours on Friday 28th June 2013 or on any subsequent Friday and ending when the said works have been completed;

“a third works period” means a period of 13 hours starting at 20.00 hours on Saturday 29th June or on any subsequent Saturday 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 first works period, a second works period or a third works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the slip roads.

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) 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.

- (a) a vehicle being used for police, traffic officer, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (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 or for traffic officer purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

18th June 2013

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