

**2013 No. 3250**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A303 Trunk Road (Upottery to Ilminster) (Temporary  
Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013**

*Made*        -   -   -   -                      *17th December 2013*

*Coming into force*   -   -                      *30th December 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A303 Trunk Road (“the A303”), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road between Upottery and Ilminster in the District of East Devon in the County of Devon and the District of South Somerset in the County of 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 A303 Trunk Road (Upottery to Ilminster) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 30th December 2013.

**2.** In this Order –

“the A303” means the A303 between its junction with the A30 near Upottery and the southern edge of the A358 Southfields Roundabout, near Ilminster;

“the works” mean resurfacing works;

“a works period” means a period of 9 hours starting at 21.00 hours on Thursday 2nd January 2014 or on any subsequent day and ending when the said works have been completed;

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to an article in this Order which bears that number.

**3.** Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed on the A303.

**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) 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 winter maintenance purposes;

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(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.

(d) a vehicle proceeding to or from premises that are accessible from and only from the A303.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

17th December 2013

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