

2013 No. 892

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M69 Motorway and the A46 Trunk Road (Coventry Eastern Bypass, Warwickshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - - - *18th February 2013*

Coming into force - - - - - *25th February 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M69 Motorway (“the M69”), A46 Trunk Road (“the A46”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on lengths of those roads and one of those connecting roads east of Coventry 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 M69 Motorway and the A46 Trunk Road (Coventry Eastern Bypass, Warwickshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 25th February 2013.

2. In this Order –

“the first length of trunk road”	means the northbound and southbound carriageways of the A46 from the roundabout junction with the A45, B4110 and Rowley Road (Toll Bar End Roundabout) to the roundabout junction with the A428 (Binley Roundabout);
“the second length of trunk road”	means the northbound and southbound carriageways of the A46 from the roundabout junction with the A428 (Binley Roundabout) to the merge point with the M69 north east of Coventry;
“the first length of motorway”	means the southbound carriageway of the M69 from its junction with the slip road leading to the northbound carriageway of the M6 to the merge point with the A46;
“the second length of motorway”	means the northbound carriageway of the M69 from the merge point with the A46 to its junction with the link road leading from 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 slip road”	means the slip road leading to the southbound carriageway of the A46 from its roundabout junction with the M6, A4600 and B4065 at M6 Junction 2;
“layby”	means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles and bounded partly by a traffic sign of the type shown in diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the traffic Signs Regulations 2002(a) and partly by the outer edge of that carriageway on the same side of the road as that on which the sign is placed; and in this definition “carriageway” means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in the trunk road over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;
“the works period”	means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 4th March 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 articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the first length of trunk road, the second length of trunk road, the first length of motorway, the second length of motorway or the slip road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in any layby adjacent to the first length of trunk road or the second length of trunk road.

5. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or leave the second length of trunk road at its roundabout junction with the B4082 (Walsgrave roundabout).

6. The provisions of articles 3, 4 and 5 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

7. The provisions of articles 3, 4 and 5 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
- (iii) being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

18th February 2013

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(a) S.I. 2002/3113, Part 1.