

**2014 No. 1255**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The M5 Motorway (Junctions 7 to 8, Worcestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014**

*Made* - - - - 28th April 2014

*Coming into force* - - 5th May 2014

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 a length of that road and two of those connecting roads, at Strensham in the County of Worcestershire, 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 (Junctions 7 to 8, Worcestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on Monday 5th May 2014.

**2.** In this Order:

“the motorway” means the southbound carriageway of the M5 from its junction with the exit slip road at Junction 7, to its junction with the entry slip road at Junction 8;

“a slip road” means the slip road leading –  
a) to the southbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 7;  
b) from the southbound Strensham Services, to the roundabout junction with the M50 at M5 Junction 8.

“the works period” means the period starting at 21:30 hours on Monday 12th May 2014 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 or a slip 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 –

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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

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- (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

28th April 2014

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