

2014 No. 3380

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A303 Trunk Road (Ilminster Laybys) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made - - - - 21st November 2014

Coming into force - - 28th November 2014

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 near Ilminster in 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 (Ilminster Laybys) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 28th November 2014.

2. In this Order –

“layby” means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles, bounded partly by a road marking on the outer edge of that carriageway complying with diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(b); 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” mean the installation of hazard marker posts and road markings;

“the works period” means the period starting at 00.01 hours on Monday 1st December 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, proceed or remain in the layby adjacent to:

- (a) the A303 eastbound, situated 1.85 kilometres east of Ilminster Roundabout;
- (b) the A303 westbound, situated 4.85 kilometres east of Ilminster Roundabout;
- (c) the A303 eastbound, situated 6.05 kilometres east of Ilminster Roundabout; and

(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.

(b) S.I. 2002/3113; Part I

(d) the A303 westbound, situated 8.35 kilometres east of Ilminster roundabout.

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 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.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

21st November 2014

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