

**2015 No. 1042**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The M6 and M5 Motorways (M6 Junction 7 to 10) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015**

*Made - - - - 2nd February 2015*

*Coming into force - - 9th February 2015*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway (“the M6”), the M5 Motorway (“the M5”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of the M6 and three of those connecting roads, in the Metropolitan Boroughs of Walsall and Sandwell, 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 M6 and M5 Motorways (M6 Junction 7 to 10) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015 and shall come into force on Monday 9th February 2015.

2. In this Order –

“the motorway” means the northbound carriageway of the M6 from the junction with the exit slip road at Junction 7, to the junction with the entry slip road at Junction 10;

“a slip road” means the slip roads leading to the northbound carriageway of the M6 at –  
a) Junction 7; and  
b) Junction 9;

“the link road” means the link road leading from the northbound carriageway of the M5 to the northbound carriageway of the M6 (M6 Junction 8);

"the works period"

means the period starting at 22:00 hours on Monday 16th February 2015 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, a slip road or the link 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 –

- a) being used for police, fire brigade, ambulance or traffic officer purposes;
- b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable; or
- c) being used in connection with the said works or by, or with the permission of, a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

2nd February 2015

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