

2012 No. 2458 (W. 268)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A4042 Trunk Road & M4
Motorway (Junction 25A, Grove
Park Roundabout, Newport)
(Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles)
Order 2012**

Made 25 September 2012

Coming into force 1 October 2012

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant lengths of the Newport – Shrewsbury Trunk Road (A4042) (hereinafter referred to as “the trunk road”) and the London – South Wales Motorway (M4) (hereinafter referred to as “the motorway”), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road and motorway should be prohibited by reason of works being executed thereon.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) and of all other enabling powers(2), make this Order.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 1 October 2012 and its title is The A4042 Trunk Road & M4 Motorway (Junction 25A, Grove Park Roundabout, Newport) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2012.

2. —(1) In this Order:

“exempted vehicle” (*“cerbyd esempt”*) means any vehicle being used by the emergency services or in connection with the works giving rise to this Order;

“the lengths of the trunk road” (*“y darnau o’r gefnffordd”*) means the lengths of the A4042 trunk road, in the City of Newport, specified in Schedule 1 to this Order;

“the length of the motorway” (“*y darn o’r draffordd*”) means the length of the M4 motorway, in the City of Newport, specified in Schedule 2 to this Order;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means the period commencing at 20:00 hours on 1 October 2012 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

(2) Any reference in this Order to a numbered article is a reference to the article bearing that number in this Order.

Prohibitions

3. Subject to the provisions of article 4, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed in the lengths of the trunk road and motorway specified in the Schedules.

Application

4. The provisions of article 3 apply only during such times and to such extent as the application of the prohibition referred to therein is indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

5. The maximum duration of this Order shall be 18 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Local Government and Communities, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the 25 September 2012

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Head of Asset Management and Standards

Welsh Government

- (1) 1984 c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.
- (2) By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, article 2 and Schedule 1, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

A4042 TRUNK ROAD

i) The entire length of the eastbound link road which extends from a point at its junction with Grove Park Roundabout to a point at its junction with Caerleon Roundabout.

ii) The entire length of the westbound link road which extends from a point at its junction with Caerleon Roundabout to a point at its junction with Grove Park Roundabout.

SCHEDULE 2

M4 MOTORWAY

The entire length of the westbound off slip road at Junction 25A, Grove Park, linking with the A4042.