

2017 No. 30 (W. 12)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A483 Trunk Road (South of
Newtown, Powys) (Temporary
Prohibition of Wide Vehicles) Order
2017**

Made 11 January 2017

Coming into force 16 January 2017

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the Swansea – Manchester Trunk Road (A483) (“the trunk road”), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited because of works proposed on or near the road.

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⁾, make this Order.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 16 January 2017 and its title is The A483 Trunk Road (South of Newtown, Powys) (Temporary Prohibition of Wide Vehicles) Order 2017.

2. —(1) In this Order:

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means any vehicle being used by the emergency services, for winter maintenance, for the T4 bus service or in connection with the works giving rise to this Order;

“the lengths of the trunk road” (“*y darnau o’r gefnffordd*”) means the following lengths of the trunk road in the County of Powys:

i. the length of the trunk road that extends from a point 10 metres south of the centre-point of its junction

⁽¹⁾ 1984 c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. 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.

with the U2826 to a point 328 metres south of that junction;

ii. the length of the trunk road that extends from a point 20 metres north of the centre-point of its junction with the C1203 (Llaethddu Junction) to a point 120 metres south of its junction with the U2964 (leading to the dwelling known as Cwmyrhiwdre);

iii. the length of the trunk road that extends from a point 653 metres south of the centre-point of its junction with the U1298 (Garn Road) to a point 853 metres south of that junction;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means the period commencing at 07:00 hours on 16 January 2017 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.

Prohibition

3. No person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle with a width of or greater than 2.5 metres, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed in the lengths of the trunk road.

Application

4. The prohibition in article 3 applies only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

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

Signed under authority of the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Infrastructure, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the

11 January 2017

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