

2023 No. 1014 (W. 164)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A44 Trunk Road (Between
Bwlch Nant yr Arian and
Ponterwyd, Ceredigion)
(Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles)
Order 2023**

Made 18 September 2023

Coming into force 25 September 2023

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the relevant length of the A44 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on a specified length 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 and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the A44 Trunk Road (Between Bwlch Nant yr Arian and Ponterwyd, Ceredigion) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2023 and this Order comes into force on 25 September 2023.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the length of the A44 Newtown to Aberystwyth trunk road;

(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, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means intermittent periods commencing at 19:00 hours on 25 September 2023 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

Prohibition

3. No person may, during the works period, drive any vehicle on the length of the trunk road that extends from a point 190 metres west of the Bwlch Nant yr Arian Visitor Centre access to a point 400 metres north west of the ‘Red Kite Café’ near Ponterwyd.

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 is 18 months.

Signed on behalf of the Deputy Minister for Climate Change, acting under the authority of the Minister for Climate Change, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the 18 September 2023

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