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ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A5 Trunk Road (Holyhead
Road Roundabout, Bangor,
Gwynedd to Mona Road
Roundabout, Menai Bridge,
Anglesey) (Temporary Prohibition
of Vehicles, Cyclists & Pedestrians)
Order 2024**

Made

26 February 2024

Coming into force

3 March 2024

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the relevant length of the A5 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on a specified length of the trunk road should be prohibited by reason of a relevant event, namely the Anglesey Half Marathon and 10K Race, being held on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1), make this Order.

Title and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the A5 Trunk Road (Holyhead Road Roundabout, Bangor, Gwynedd to Mona Road Roundabout, Menai Bridge, Anglesey) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles, Cyclists & Pedestrians) Order 2024 and this Order comes into force on 3 March 2024.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means—

(1) 1984 c. 27. Section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c. 11), section 1(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 functions are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

- (i) any vehicle being used for police, fire or ambulance services purposes;
- (ii) any vehicle being used in connection with works to the road or lighting or traffic signs or emergency works to any sewer or to any main or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or telecommunications in, or in any land adjacent to, a length of road concerned;
- (iii) any vehicle used by an authorised event official in support of and for reasons of the safety of the relevant event;

“event period” (“*cyfnod y digwyddiad*”) means that period commencing at 09:00 hours on 3 March 2024 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed;

“the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the A5 London to Holyhead trunk road that extends from its junction with Holyhead Road Roundabout (Antelope Inn), Bangor, Gwynedd to its junction with Mona Road Roundabout (Shell Garage), Menai Bridge, Anglesey.

Prohibition

3. No person may, during the event period, drive any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, on the length of the trunk road.

4. No person may, during the event period, ride any pedal cycle on the length of the trunk road.

5. No pedestrian may, during the event period, proceed on the length of the trunk road.

Application

6. The prohibitions in articles 3, 4 and 5 apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

7. The maximum duration of this Order is 1 day.

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

26 February 2024

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