

2017 No. 142

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A68 Trunk Road (Edinburgh Road, Jedburgh) (Temporary Prohibition on Waiting and 30mph Speed Restriction) Order 2017

Made - - - - *4th May 2017*

Coming into force - - *13th May 2017*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(1) and (2), 4(1) and 14(1)(b) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 14(1)(b) of that Act, they are satisfied that the traffic on the lengths of road specified in the schedule should be restricted or prohibited because of the likelihood of danger to the public, which is not attributable to works.

In accordance with section 14(3) of that Act, they have had regard to the existence of alternative routes suitable for the traffic which will be affected by this Order.

Citation, commencement and cessation

1. This Order may be cited as the A68 Trunk Road (Edinburgh Road, Jedburgh) (Temporary Prohibition on Waiting and 30mph Speed Restriction) Order 2017, comes into force on 13th May 2017 and ceases to have effect on 14th May 2017.

Prohibition on waiting

2. No person may use, or permit the use of, any vehicle to wait on the length of road, or a part or parts of the length of road, specified in Part 1 of the schedule when a prohibition is identified as applying to that length of road, or a part or parts of that length of road, by means of a traffic sign of the type described in item 19 (diagram 636 – temporary prohibition on waiting except for loading and unloading) of the sign table in Part 6 of schedule 13 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016(b).

(a) 1984 c.27; section 2(1) and (2) were amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), Schedule 8, paragraph 18 and section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), Schedule 1. The Scottish Ministers are the traffic authority by virtue of section 121A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (inserted by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991, Schedule 8, paragraph 70 and amended by S.I. 2001/1400) as read with section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c.54) (as amended by S.I. 2001/1400). The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46) and S.I. 1999/1750.

(b) S.I. 2016/362.

Speed restriction

3. No person may use, or permit the use of, any vehicle on the length of road, or part or parts of the length of road, specified in Part 2 of the schedule at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour when a restriction is identified as applying to that length of road, or part or parts of that length of road, by means of a traffic sign of the type described in item 1 (diagram 670 – maximum speed limit in mph) of the sign table in Part 2 of schedule 10 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016(a).

Exemptions

4. No prohibition imposed by this Order applies to a vehicle being used in an emergency for fire brigade, ambulance, police or coastguard purposes.

5. No speed restriction imposed by this Order applies to—

- (a) vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011(b) when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations; or
- (b) vehicles being used in an emergency for coastguard purposes.

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(a) S.I. 2016/362.
(b) S.I. 2011/935.

SCHEDULE

Articles 2 and 3

SPECIFIED LENGTH OF ROAD

PART 1

1. That length of the A68 Edinburgh – Carter Bar Trunk Road, also known as Edinburgh Road, north of Jedburgh, from the junction of the A68 and the entrance to Bankhead North Industrial Estate to a point 753 metres north of that point, at the junction of the A68 and the entrance to the sewerage works, a total distance of 753 metres or thereby.

PART 2

2. That length of the A68 Edinburgh – Carter Bar Trunk Road, also known as Edinburgh Road, north of Jedburgh, from a point 117 metres north of the junction of the A68 and the entrance to Bankhead North Industrial Estate to a point 636 metres north of that point, at the junction of the A68 and the entrance to the sewerage works, a total distance of 636 metres or thereby.