

**2009 No. 2856**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A40 Trunk Road (Huntley Hill, Gloucestershire)  
(Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2009**

*Made* - - - - 21 October 2009  
*Coming into force* - - 24 October 2009

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A40 Trunk Road (“the A40”), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road at Huntley Hill in the District of Forest of Dean in the County of Gloucestershire should be restricted because of the likelihood of danger to the public where an existing safety barrier has failed:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(b) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A40 Trunk Road (Huntley Hill, Gloucestershire) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 24 October 2009.

2. In this Order –

“the A40” means the A40 at Huntley Hill, west of Gloucester, from a point 300 metres east of the centre of its junction with Hinders Lane to a point 1600 metres east of the centre of that junction;

“the period of danger” means the period starting at 00.01 hours on Monday 26 October 2009 and ending at 23.59 hours on Thursday 31 March 2011;

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to the article in this Order which bears that number.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during the period of danger, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the A40.

4. The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs and shall not apply to:

- (a) a vehicle being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer in uniform.

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

21 October 2009

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