

**2010 No.1731**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The M1 Motorway (Junction 39 to Junction 40) (Temporary  
Restriction of Traffic) Order 2010**

*Made* - - - - - *21 June 2010*

*Coming into force* - - - - - *4 July 2010*

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M1 Motorway, in the District of Wakefield in the County of West Yorkshire, is satisfied that traffic on that motorway should be restricted because central reservation and emergency access gate construction works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the M1 Motorway (Junction 39 to Junction 40) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 4 July 2010.

2. In this Order; –

“the M1” means the M1 Motorway:

“the northbound carriageway” means the M1 northbound carriageway from a point 700 metres north of the tip of the concrete nosing (herein: “the nosing”) of the northbound entry slip road at Junction 39 (Durkar) northwards for a distance of 1700 metres;

“the southbound carriageway” means the M1 southbound carriageway from a point 300 metres south of the nosing of the southbound entry slip road at Junction 40 (Ossett) southwards for a distance of 1700 metres;

“the works period” means the period starting at 00:01 hours on Monday 5 July 2010 and ending when the said works have been completed;

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 works period, cause or permit any vehicle to be driven at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the northbound carriageway, or the southbound carriageway.

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 vehicle being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes, or 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.

5. The provisions of regulations 5 and (in so far as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982<sup>(a)</sup> are suspended in relation to the hard shoulders adjacent to the northbound carriageway and the southbound carriageway as described in article 2 at such times and to such extent as may, from time to time, be indicated by traffic signs; and in this article “hard shoulder” has the meaning given in regulation 3(1)(e) of those Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

21 June 2010

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(a) S.I. 1982/1163; amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364.