

2010 No. 357

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The A259 Trunk Road (East Guldeford - Brookland)
(Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010**

Made - - - - *8th February 2010*

Coming into force - - *13th February 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A259 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted and prohibited on lengths of that road because works are proposed to be executed thereon:

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

1. This Order may be cited as the A259 Trunk Road (East Guldeford - Brookland) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 13th February 2010.

2. In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the A259 Trunk Road in the Counties of East Sussex and Kent;

“the first length of trunk road” means both carriageways of the trunk road between points 300 metres west and 300 metres east of its junction with Camber Road at East Guldeford;

“the second length of trunk road” means both carriageways of the trunk road between East Guldeford Junction (Camber Road) and Brookland roundabout;

“works” mean resurfacing work on the trunk road; and

“a works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 2000 hours on Monday 15th February 2010 or on any subsequent day until 12th August 2011.

3. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the second length of trunk road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding –

(a) 10 miles per hour on the first length of trunk road while traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating “convoy working” on that length of road are displayed; or

(b) 40 miles per hour on the first length of trunk road while the traffic signs specified in paragraph (a) of this article in relation to those lengths of road are not displayed.

(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 articles 3 and 4 above shall apply only at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

6. Nothing in article 3 above shall apply to -

- (a) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;
- (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform;
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes; or
- (e) a vehicle proceeding in the second length of trunk road to or from premises accessible from, and only from, that road, to such extent as shall be indicated by traffic signs;

and nothing in article 4 above shall apply to a vehicle being used for police, ambulance or fire and rescue authority purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

8th February 2010

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