

2010 No. 972

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The M5 Motorway (Junction 9) and the A46 Trunk Road
(Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010**

Made - - - - 22 February 2010

Coming into force - - 1 March 2010

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M5 Motorway (“the M5”), the A46 Trunk Road (“the A46”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of that trunk road and on one of those connecting roads near Tewkesbury in the County of Gloucestershire should be restricted and prohibited 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), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the M5 Motorway (Junction 9) and the A46 Trunk Road (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 1 March 2010.

2. In this Order –

“the roundabout” means that part of the circulatory carriageway at the roundabout junction of the A46 with the A438 and the M5 (Junction 9), between its junction with the eastbound carriageway of the A438 and its junction with the eastbound carriageway of the A46;

“the slip road” means the slip road leading from the southbound carriageway of the M5 at Junction 9;

“the works period” means the period starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 8 March 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 articles 5 and 6, no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on the roundabout whilst 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.

(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

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the slip road.

5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

6. The provisions of –

(a) articles 3 and 4 shall not apply to any vehicle-

(i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes; or

(ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer in uniform, and

(b) article 4 shall not apply to any vehicle being used in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

22 February 2010

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