

2012 No. 1268 (W. 159)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A55 Trunk Road (Black
Bridge, Holyhead, Isle of Anglesey
to Junction 11 (Llys y Gwynt
Interchange), Bangor, Gwynedd)
(Temporary 40 mph Speed Limit &
Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2012

Made

11 May 2012

Coming into force

21 May 2012

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant lengths of the Chester – Bangor Trunk Road (A55) (hereinafter referred to as “the trunk road”), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road should be restricted or prohibited by reason of works proposed to be executed thereon.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) and of all other enabling powers(2), make this Order.

1. This Order comes into force on 21 May 2012 and its title is The A55 Trunk Road (Black Bridge, Holyhead, Isle of Anglesey to Junction 11 (Llys y Gwynt Interchange), Bangor, Gwynedd) (Temporary 40 mph Speed Limit & Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2012.

2. —1) In this Order:

“exempted vehicle” (*“cerbyd esempt”*) means any vehicle being used for or in connection with the works giving rise to this Order or for the emergency services;

“the lengths of the trunk road” (*“y darnau o’r gefnffordd”*) means those lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedules to this Order;

“works period” (*“cyfnod y gwaith”*) means that period commencing at 05:00 hours on 21 May 2012 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

(2) Any reference in this Order to a numbered article or Schedule is a reference to the article or Schedule bearing that number in this Order.

3. Subject to the provisions of article 8, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to be driven at a speed exceeding 40 mph in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1.

4. Subject to the provisions of article 8, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2.

5. The provisions of The Trunk Road (A5) (Llanfairpwllgwyngyll, Gwynedd) (50 mph Speed Limit) Order 1983(3) are hereby suspended in respect of the relevant length of the trunk road during such times as the restriction specified in article 3 is in operation.

6. The provisions of The A5 and A55 Trunk Roads (Llanfairpwllgwyngyll to Holyhead, Anglesey) (Deretsriction) Order 2001(4) are hereby suspended in respect of the relevant length of the trunk road during such times as the restriction specified in article 3 is in operation.

7. The provisions of The A55 Trunk Road (Holyhead, Anglesey) (50 mph Speed Limit & Prohibition of Pedestrians) Order 2001(5) are hereby suspended in respect of the relevant length of the trunk road during such times as the restriction specified in article 3 is in operation.

8. The provisions of articles 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as the application of the restriction and prohibition referred to therein is indicated by traffic signs.

9. The maximum duration for this Order shall be 6 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Local Government and Communities, one of the Welsh Ministers

Dated the

11 May 2012

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- (1) 1984 c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.
- (2) By virtue of S.I.1999/672, article 2 and Schedule 1 and paragraph 30(1) of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now conferred upon the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.
- (3) S.I. 1983/1772
- (4) S.I. 2001/1653 (W.113)
- (5) S.I. 2001/1633 (W.111)

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

Temporary 40 mph Speed Limit

That length of the trunk road that extends from Black Bridge, Holyhead, Isle of Anglesey to its junction with the A5 at Junction 11, Llys y Gwynt Interchange, Bangor, Gwynedd.

SCHEDULE 2

Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles

The entire length of the eastbound entry slip road at Junction 8A (Carreg Bran Interchange), Isle of Anglesey.