

**2013 No. 551 (W. 61)**

**ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES**

**The A465 Trunk Road (Carmeltown Roundabout, Ebbw Vale, Blaenau Gwent) (Temporary Traffic Restriction and Prohibition) Order 2013**

*Made*

*22 February 2013*

*Coming into force*

*4 March 2013*

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant lengths of the Neath – Abergavenny Trunk Road (A465) (hereinafter referred to as “the trunk road”), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk roads should be prohibited and restricted by reason of works proposed to be executed thereon.

The Welsh Ministers, 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.

**Title, Interpretation and Commencement**

**1.** This Order comes into force on 4 March 2013. The title to this Order is The A465 Trunk Road (Carmeltown Roundabout, Ebbw Vale, Blaenau Gwent) (Temporary Traffic Restriction and Prohibition) Order 2013.

**2.**—In this Order:

“the lengths of the trunk road” (“*y darnau o’r gefnffordd*”) means the lengths of the of the A465 Trunk Road at and east of Carmeltown Roundabout in the County Borough of Blaenau Gwent specified in the Schedules to this Order.

“works period,” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means that period commencing at 19.00 hours on 4 March 2013 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed;

(1) 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.

**Prohibition and Restriction**

3. Subject to the provisions of article 5 no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed in the lengths of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1.

4. Subject to the provisions of article 5, no person shall, during the works period, ride, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour, in the lengths of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2.

**Application**

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

**Duration of this Order**

6. The maximum duration for this Order shall be 18 months.

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

Dated the 22 February 2013

**R MORGAN**  
Head of Asset Management and Standards  
Welsh Government

(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 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales

## **SCHEDULES**

### **SCHEDULE 1**

#### **EXTENT OF TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF VEHICLES.**

- i) The entire length of the lay-by on the eastbound carriageway of the trunk road, situated 115 metres east of Carmeltown Roundabout, Ebbw Vale.
- ii) The entire length of the lay-by on the westbound carriageway of the trunk road, situated 150 metres east of Carmeltown Roundabout, Ebbw Vale.

### **SCHEDULE 2**

#### **EXTENT OF TEMPORARY 40 MPH SPEED LIMIT**

- i) That length of the trunk road which extends from a point at its junction with Carmeltown Roundabout, Ebbw Vale, in an easterly direction for 1.5 kilometres.
- ii) The entire length of the circulatory carriageway of Carmeltown Roundabout, Ebbw Vale.