

2014 No. 1944 (W. 196)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A465 Trunk Road (Rhigos Roundabout, Rhondda Cynon Taf to Glynneath Interchange, Neath Port Talbot) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2014

Made

22 July 2014

Coming into force

30 July 2014

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the Neath – Abergavenny Trunk Road (A465) (hereinafter referred to as “the trunk road”), are satisfied that traffic in a specified length of the trunk road should be 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.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 30 July 2014 and its title is The A465 Trunk Road (Rhigos Roundabout, Rhondda Cynon Taf to Glynneath Interchange, Neath Port Talbot) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2014.

2. —(1) In this Order:

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

“the length of the trunk road” (“*y darn o’r gefnffordd*”) means the length of the westbound and eastbound carriageways of the trunk road that extends from the western side of Rhigos Roundabout in the County Borough of Rhondda Cynon Taf to Glynneath Interchange in the County Borough of Neath Port Talbot, including the entire length of the westbound

exit slip road and eastbound entry slip road at Glynneath Interchange;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means that period commencing at 22:00 hours on 30 July 2014 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

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

Prohibition

3. Subject to the provisions of article 4, 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.

Application

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

Duration of this Order

5. The maximum duration of this Order shall be 18 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the 22 July 2014

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