

2015 No. 1298 (W. 105)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A5 Trunk Road (Gwern Gof
Isaf, Ogwen, West of Capel Curig,
Conwy) (Temporary Prohibition of
Vehicles) Order 2015**

Made 7 April 2015

Coming into force 14 April 2015

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the London - Holyhead Trunk Road (A5) (“the trunk road”), are satisfied that traffic in a specified length of the trunk road should be prohibited because of a relevant event being held on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1), as amended by The Road Traffic (Special Events) Act 1994, and of all other enabling powers(2), make this Order.

Title, Interpretation and Commencement

1. This Order comes into force on 14 April 2015. Its title is The A5 Trunk Road (Gwern Gof Isaf, Ogwen, West of Capel Curig, Conwy) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2015.

2. —(1) In this Order:

“closure period” (“*y cyfnod cau*”) means maximum periods of 10 minutes commencing at 05:00 hours on 14 April 2015 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed;

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means:

- (i) any vehicle being used for police purposes;
- (ii) any vehicle being used for the purpose of fire or ambulance services;
- (iii) any vehicle being used in connection with works to the road or lighting or traffic signs or emergency works to any sewer or to any main or apparatus for the

supply of gas, water or electricity, or telecommunications in, or in any land adjacent to, a length of road concerned;

(iv) any vehicle used by an authorised event official in support of and for safety reasons of the event;

“the length of the trunk road” (“*y darn o’r gefnffordd*”) means the length of the trunk road at Gwern Gof Isaf, Ogwen, west of Capel Curig in the County Borough of Conwy that extends from a point 500 metres north-west of the access to the dwelling known as Gwern Gof Isaf to a point 300 metres south-east of the said access.

(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 closure 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.

5. Duration of this Order

The maximum duration of this Order shall be three days.

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

Dated the 7 April 2015

R MORGAN

Head of Asset Management and Standards
Welsh Government

(1) 1984 c.27. Section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994, Section 1(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.