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ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A5 Trunk Road (Halton
Roundabout to Whitehurst
Roundabout, Chirk, Wrexham
County Borough) (Temporary
Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2018**

Made 27 March 2018

Coming into force 1 April 2018

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the relevant length of the A5 London to Holyhead Trunk Road, are satisfied that traffic on a specified length of the trunk road should be prohibited because of works proposed on or near the road.

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), make this Order.

Title, Commencement and Interpretation

1. The title of this Order is the A5 Trunk Road (Halton Roundabout to Whitehurst Roundabout, Chirk, Wrexham County Borough) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2018 and it comes into force on 1 April 2018.

2.—(1) In this Order:

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

(1) 1984 c.27; section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c.32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

“the trunk road” (“y *gefnffordd*”) means the A5 London to Holyhead Trunk Road;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means intermittent periods commencing at 19:00 hours on 1 April 2018 and ending when the temporary traffic signs for each period of works are 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. No person may, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, to proceed on the length of the trunk road north of Chirk in the County Borough of Wrexham that extends from the western side of Halton Roundabout to the eastern side of Whitehurst Roundabout.

Application

4. The prohibition in article 3 applies only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

5. The maximum duration of this Order is 18 months.

Signed under authority of the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Transport, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the 27 March 2018

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