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# 2009 No. 2787

# ROAD TRAFFIC

## The A21 Trunk Road (Pembury Road Interchange – Lamberhurst Road) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009

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| *Made - - - -* | *5th October 2009* |
| *Coming into force - -* | *10th October 2009* |

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A21 Trunk Road and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted on a length of that road and prohibited on some of those connecting roads because works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(**a**), hereby makes the following Order:-

**1.** This Order may be cited as the A21 Trunk Road (Pembury Road Interchange – Lamberhurst Road) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 10th October 2009.

**2.** In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A21 Trunk Road in the County of Kent;

"the length of trunk road" means both carriageways of the trunk road between Blue Boys roundabout near Kipping's Cross and the roundabout at its junction with Lamberhurst Road (B2162) and the A262;

"a slip road" means –

(i) the road leading from the southbound carriageway of the trunk road to the A228/A264 at Pembury Road Interchange, or

(ii) the road leading to the southbound carriageway of the trunk road from the A228/A264 at Pembury Road Interchange;

"works" mean signing, road stud replacement and resurfacing work on the trunk road; and

"a works period" means a period of 10 hours starting at 2000 hours on Monday 12th October 2009 or on any subsequent day until 9th April 2011.

**3.** Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road.

(**a**) 1984 c.27; a new section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.

**4.** Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding –

(a) 10 miles per hour on the length of trunk road while traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating "convoy working" on that length of road are displayed; or

(b) 40 miles per hour on the length of trunk road while the traffic signs specified in paragraph (a) of this article in relation to that length of road are not displayed.

**5.** The provisions of articles 3 and 4 above shall apply only at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

**6.** (1) Nothing in article 3 above shall apply to -

(a) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;

(b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;

(c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform; or

(d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

(2) Nothing in article 4 above shall apply to a vehicle being used for police, ambulance or fire and rescue authority purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

*S DUKE*
An Area Performance Manager
*5th October 2009* in the Highways Agency