STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2009 No. 2839

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A40 Trunk Road (Forest Gate to Lea Junction, Gloucestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009

Made - - - -	*16 October 2009*
Coming into force - -	*21 October 2009*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A40 Trunk Road ("the A40"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road between Forest Gate to Lea Junction in the District of Forest of Dean in the County of Gloucestershire should be prohibited 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 A40 Trunk Road (Forest Gate to Lea Junction, Gloucestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 21 October 2009.

2. In this Order –

"the A40" means:

(i) the eastbound carriageway of the A40 from the centre of the junction with the B4224 (Lea Junction) to the centre of its junction with the A4136 (Forest Gate); and

(ii) the westbound carriageway of the A40 from the centre of the junction with the A4136 (Forest Gate) and to the centre of its junction with the B4224 (Lea Junction);

"the works" mean removal of water main works;

"the works period" means the period starting at 7:00 hours on Friday 23 October 2009 and ending when the said works have been completed;

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to the article in this Order which bears that number.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the A40.

4. The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs and shall not apply to:

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

(**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.

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

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

(d) vehicles proceeding to or from premises that are accessible from and only from the A40.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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16 October 2009