STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2009 No. 2924

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A46 Trunk Road (Ratcliffe on the Wreake to Six Hills, Leicestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009

Made - - - -	*9 October 2009*
Coming into force - -	*16 October 2009*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport being the traffic authority for the A46 Trunk Road ("the A46") is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road between Ratcliffe on the Wreake and Six Hills in the County of Leicestershire 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)**, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A46 Trunk Road (Ratcliffe on the Wreake to Six Hills, Leicestershire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 16 October 2009.

2. In this Order:

"the central reservation"	means that part of the trunk road which separates its carriageways for the safety and guidance of vehicular traffic using that road;
"layby"	means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles and bounded partly by a traffic sign of the type shown in diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations 2002**(b)** and partly by the outer edge of that carriageway on the same side of the road as that on which the sign is placed; and in this definition "carriageway" means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in a length of the trunk road over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a suitable surface for the exercise of that right;
"the works period"	means the period starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 19 October 2009 and ending when the said works have been completed,

(**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) S.I 2002/3113, Part I.

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 articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or leave the northbound carriageway of the A46 at its junction with the access road leading to Ratcliffe College (approximately 690 metres north of the centre line of the Ratcliffe Road/Broome Lane underbridge).

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the layby adjacent to the northbound carriageway of the A46 approximately –

(i) 1140 metres south of the centre line of the Ratcliffe Road/Broome Lane underbridge.
(ii) 690 metres north of its junction with Park Hill Lane;
(iii) 1170 metres south of the centre line of the B676 underbridge at Six Hills; and
(iv) 595 metres north of the centre line of the B676 underbridge at Six Hills.

5. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed through the gap in the central reservation of the A46 approximately –

(i) 1045 metres south of its junction with Park Hill Lane;
(ii) 1655 metres north of its junction with Park Hill Lane;
(iii) 2145 metres north of its junction with Park Hill Lane;
(iv) 2545 metres north of its junction with Park Hill Lane;
(v) 2570 metres north of its junction with Park Hill Lane;
(vi) 828 metres south of the centre line of the B676 underbridge at Six Hills; and
(vii) 910 metres north of the centre line of the B676 underbridge at Six Hills.

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

7. The provisions of articles 3, 4 and 5 shall not apply to any vehicle-

(i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes,

(ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable in uniform, or

(iii) being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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9 October 2009 in the Highways Agency