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ROAD TRAFFIC

The A45, the A446 and the A452 Trunk Roads (Stonebridge to M6 Junction 4) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009

Made - - - - 20 November 2009

Coming into force - - 27 November 2009

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A45 Trunk Road ("the A45"), the A446 Trunk Road ("the A446"), the A452 Trunk Road ("the A452") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on lengths of those roads and two of those connecting roads in the Metropolitan Borough of Solihull and the County of Warwickshire should be restricted and 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 A45, the A446 and the A452 Trunk Roads (Stonebridge to M6 Junction 4) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 27 November 2009.

2. In this Order –

"Stonebridge roundabout"	means the A45/A452 roundabout junction at Stonebridge;
"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 2000 hours on Tuesday 1 December 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 7 and 8, no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the southbound carriageway of the A446 from its roundabout junction with the M6 at Junction 4 to its junction with the slip road leading to the A452/B4438 roundabout junction.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 7 and 8, no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on –

(a) Stonebridge Roundabout;

(b) the eastbound carriageway of the A45 from the centreline of East Way underbridge to its junction with Stonebridge Roundabout;

(c) the southbound carriageway of the A452 from a point 100 metres south of the centreline of Packington Lane underbridge to its junction with Stonebridge Roundabout; and

(d) the northbound carriageway of the A452 from its junction with Stonebridge Roundabout to the centreline of Packington Lane underbridge;

whilst traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating "convoy working" on those lengths of road are displayed.

5. Subject as mentioned in articles 7 and 8, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in –

(a) Stonebridge roundabout;

(b) the northbound carriageway of A452 from its junction with Stonebridge Roundabout to its roundabout junction with the B4438;

(c) the southbound carriageway of the A446 from its junction with the slip road leading to the A452/B4438 roundabout junction to its junction with the A452;

(d) the southbound carriageway of the A452 from its junction with the A446 to its junction with Stonebridge roundabout;

(e) the slip road leading from the eastbound carriageway of the A45 to Stonebridge roundabout; and

(f) the slip road leading from Stonebridge roundabout to the westbound carriageway of the A45.

6. Subject as mentioned in articles 7 and 8, 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 A452 approximately 100 metres north of its junction with Stonebridge roundabout.

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

8. The provisions of:

(a) articles 3, 4, 5 and 6 shall not apply to any vehicle -

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

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

(b) articles 5 and 6 shall not apply to any vehicle being used in connection with the said works; and

(c) article 5 shall not apply to any vehicle proceeding in the A452 and A446 to or from premises which are accessible for that vehicle from, and only from, those roads.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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