STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2010 No. 1047

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A21 Trunk Road (John's Cross – Ebden's Hill) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - -	*8th March 2010*
Coming into force - -	*13th March 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A21 Trunk Road is satisfied that traffic should be restricted and prohibited on a length of that road 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 (John's Cross – Ebden's Hill) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 13th March 2010.

2. In this Order:

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

"the length of trunk road" means both carriageways of the trunk road between a point 500 metres southeast of John's Cross roundabout (A2100) and its junction with Moat Lane at Ebden's Hill;

"overall width" has the meaning given in regulation 3(2) of the Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1986(**b**);

"abnormal load" means a vehicle having an overall width exceeding 3.7 metres;

"works" mean overhead powerline and pole replacement work on the trunk road; and

"a works period" means a period of 6 hours starting at 0930 hours on Sunday 21st March 2010 or on any subsequent Sunday until 12th September 2011.

3. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to overtake any other moving vehicle on the length of trunk road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour on the length of trunk road.

5. Subject as mentioned in articles 6 and 7, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any abnormal load to enter or proceed in the length of trunk road.

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

(**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. 1986/1078; to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order

7.(1) Nothing in articles 3 or 5 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
in the Highways Agency

8th March 2010