2010 No. 1167

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A1 Trunk Road (Cheswick to East Ord) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - -	*18 March 2010*
Coming into force - -	*25 March 2010*

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A1 Trunk Road, in the County of Northumberland, is satisfied that traffic on that trunk road should be restricted and prohibited because traffic sign installation 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**), makes the following Order: -

1. This Order may be cited as the A1 Trunk Road (Cheswick to East Ord) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 25 March 2010.

2. In this Order; –

"the A1" means the A1 Trunk Road;

"the northbound and southbound carriageways" means the northbound and southbound carriageways of the A1 between a point 4000 metres north of the centreline of the U66 Haggerston Junction and a point 2000 metres south of its junction with the A698 East Ord Roundabout, a distance of 4400 metres;

"a layby" means an area of carriageway, intended for the waiting of vehicles, bounded partly by a road marking on the outer edge of that carriageway complying with diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(**b**); and in this definition "carriageway" means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in the A1 over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;

"the works period" means a period of 6 hours starting at 09:30 hours on Friday 26 March 2010 or any subsequent day thereafter until the said works have been completed.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 5 of this Order no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to be driven at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour in the northbound and southbound carriageways.

4. Subject as mentioned in article 5 of this Order no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or wait in a layby situated adjacent to the A1:

(a) northbound carriageway approximately 2650 metres south of its junction with East Ord Roundabout; or

(b) southbound carriageway approximately 4275 metres south of its junction with East Ord Roundabout.

(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.

5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 of this Order shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall, from time to time, be indicated by traffic signs. Nothing in article 4 shall apply to:

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

(b) a vehicle being used for, or in connection with, the said works, or for winter maintenance or traffic officer purposes; or

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

and nothing in article 3 shall apply to any vehicle being used for a purpose specified in paragraph (a) of this article.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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