S T A T U T O R Y I N S T R U M E N T S

2010 No. 1388

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6 Toll Motorway (North of M6 Junction 3a) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - - 19 April 2010

Coming into force - -26 April 2010

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Toll Motorway ("the M6 Toll"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that motorway near Coleshill in the County of Warwickshire 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) and (7) 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 M6 Toll Motorway (North of M6 Junction 3a) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 26 April 2010.

2. In this Order –

"the motorway"	means the northbound carriageway of the M6 Toll from a point 400 metres south of the centreline of Packington Lane overbridge to a point 200 metres south of the A446 overbridge;
"the Regulations"	means the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982**(b)**;
"a hard shoulder"	means the hard shoulder, within the meaning of Regulation 3(1)(e) of the Regulations, which is adjacent to the motorway;
"the works period"	means the period starting at 21:00 hours on Monday 3 May 2010 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.

(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. 1982/1163, amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364.

3. Subject as mentioned in articles 4 and 5, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the motorway.

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.

5. The provisions of article 3 shall not apply to any vehicle –

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

(b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable. or traffic officer in uniform; or

(c) being used for or in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer in uniform.

6. During the works period, regulations 5 and (in so far as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Regulations are hereby suspended in respect of a hard shoulder, at such times and to such extent as may from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

A Slack,
A Team Leader
in the Highways Agency

19 April 2010