STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2010 No. 171

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M61 Motorway (Southbound and Northbound Link Roads to and from the A580 Eastbound and Westbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - -	*18 January 2010*
Coming into force - -	*14 February 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M61Motorway and its link roads is satisfied that traffic on two of those link roads in the District of Salford in Greater Manchester, should be prohibited because works are proposed 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 M61 Motorway (Southbound and Northbound Link Roads to and from the A580 Eastbound and Westbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 14 February 2010.

2. In this Order:

"the first link road" means the southbound link road leading to the A580 eastbound carriageway from the M61 Motorway;

"the second link road" means the northbound link road leading from the A580 westbound carriageway to the M61 Motorway;

"the works period" means periods over nine nights between 2200 hours and 0500 hours starting on Monday 15 February 2010 and ending on Wednesday 24 February 2010;

However works may start and continue between the same times on subsequent nights, or continue until completed;

"works" means sign installation and associated works on the link roads;

(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.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 of this Order no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any motor vehicle to enter or proceed in the first and second link roads.

4. The provisions of article 3 of this Order shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs, and shall not apply to:

i) any vehicle being used for emergency purposes by the police, fire and rescue, or ambulance services;
ii) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform; or
iii) any vehicle being used in connection with the said works, or by traffic officers.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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