STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2011 No. 522

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A36 Trunk Road (Warminster Road, Bathampton, to Norton St Philip, Somerset) (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) Order 2011

Made - - - -	*22nd February 2011*
Coming into force - -	*26th February 2011*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A36 Trunk Road ("the A36"), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road between Bathampton and Norton St Philip in Bath and North East Somerset, Wiltshire and the County of Somerset should be prohibited and restricted 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 A36 Trunk Road (Warminster Road, Bathampton, to Norton St Philip, Somerset) (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) Order 2011 and shall come into force on 26 February 2011.

2. In this Order –

"the first length of the A36" means the A36 from the centre of its junction with Hantone Hill at Bathampton to the centre of the B3108 Lower Stoke Junction, near Monkton Combe;

"the second length of the A36" means the A36 near Norton St Philip from a point at the entrance to Wick Farm to a point at the entrance to Bath Lodge (north and south of the A366 Farleigh Road);

"the works" mean resurfacing works;

"a works period" means a period of 10 hours starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 28th February 2011 or any subsequent night 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.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4, no person shall, during a works period:

(a) cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the first length of the A36;

(b) drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the second length of the A36;

(**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.

(c) drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on the second length of the A36 whilst traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating "convoy working" on that road are displayed.

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 and shall not apply to:

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

(b) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable.

5. The provisions of article 3(a) shall not apply to:

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

(b) vehicles proceeding to or from premises that are accessible from and only from the first length of the A36.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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in the Highways Agency

22nd February 2011