STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2012 No. 2473

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A56 Trunk Road (Northbound Carriageway at the Junction with the A682 Northbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - -	*19th September 2012*
Coming into force - -	*22nd September 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A56 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic on a section of that trunk road in the District of Rossendale in the County of Lancashire 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) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 **(a)**, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A56 Trunk Road (Northbound Carriageway at the Junction with the A682 Northbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 22nd September 2012.

2. In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A56 trunk Road at its junction with the A682;

"works" means electricity cable renewal works on the A682;

"the works period" means a period between 0700 hours and 1700 hours on Sunday 23 September 2012. However, work may start and continue between the same times on subsequent Sundays or continue until completed, for such period not exceeding 18 months as shall be required to complete the work;

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 of this Order, during the works period, no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to leave the northbound carriageway of the trunk road at its junction with the A682 to join the A682 northbound carriageway.

4. The provisions of article 3 of this Order shall apply only at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs and shall not apply to any vehicle being used for emergency purposes by the police, fire and rescue or ambulance services, vehicles being used in connection with the works, or by traffic officers, or to any vehicle proceeding at the direction, or with the permission, of a constable, or a traffic officer in uniform.

(**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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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