STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 212

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A46 Trunk Road (Cold Ashton Roundabout to M4 Junction 18) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - -	*29th January 2013*
Coming into force - -	*2nd February 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A46 Trunk Road ("the A46"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road in South Gloucestershire should be 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 A46 Trunk Road (Cold Ashton Roundabout to M4 Junction 18) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 2nd February 2013.

2. In this Order -

"the A46" means the A46 from the northern edge of the Cold Ashton Roundabout to the southern edge of the M4 Junction 18 Roundabout;

"the works" mean drainage repairs and replacement, and the removal and reinstatement of signs, marker posts and bollards;

"a works period" means a period of 10 hours starting at 20.00 hours on Monday 4th February 2013 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 articles 4 and 5, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on the A46 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:

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

(ii) a vehicle being used at the direction, or with the permission, of a constable.

(**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.

5. No speed limit imposed by this order applies to vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011 when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

David Sledge
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29th January 2013 in the Highways Agency