WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2025 No. 949 (W. 164)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A4042 Trunk Road (Cwmbran Roundabout to Pontypool Roundabout, Torfaen) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2025

Made	*6 August 2025*
Coming into force	*11 August 2025*

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the relevant length of the A4042 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on a specified length of the trunk road should be prohibited because of works proposed on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(**1**), make this Order.

Title and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the A4042 Trunk Road (Cwmbran Roundabout to Pontypool Roundabout, Torfaen) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles) Order 2025 and this Order comes into force on 11 August 2025.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

"the trunk road" ("*y gefnffordd*") means the A4042 Newport to Shrewsbury trunk road;

"works period" ("*cyfnod y gwaith*") means intermittent periods commencing at 20:00 hours on

(**1**) 1984 c. 27; section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c. 26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), these functions are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

11 August 2025 and ending when the temporary traffic signs for each period of works are permanently removed.

Prohibition

3. No person may, during the works period, drive any vehicle on the length of the trunk road that extends from its junction with the northern side of Cwmbran Roundabout to its junction with the southern side of Pontypool Roundabout, Torfaen.

Application

4. The prohibition in article 3 applies only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

Duration of this Order

5. The maximum duration of this Order is 18 months.

Signed on behalf of the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated 6 August 2025

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