

2010 No. 2808

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M4 Motorway (Junction 12, Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - - - *15th November 2010*

Coming into force - - - - - *4th December 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M4 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on some of those connecting roads 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 M4 Motorway (Junction 12, Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 4th December 2010.

2. In this Order:

“the motorway” means the M4 Motorway in the District of West Berkshire;

“a slip road” means –

- (i) the road leading to the westbound carriageway of the motorway from the A4 (Bath Road) at Junction 12, or
- (ii) the road leading from the eastbound carriageway of the motorway to the A4 (Bath Road) at Junction 12;

“works” mean bridge, inspection, drainage, arboriculture, carriageway repair and all associated work on the motorway; and

“a works period” means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 6th December 2010 or on any subsequent day until 3rd June 2012.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road.

4. The provisions of article 3 above 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 -

- (a) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;
- (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform; or

(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.

(d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

15th November 2010

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