

“the Regulations”	means the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(a);
“a hard shoulder”	means the hard shoulder, within the meaning of Regulation 3(1)(e) of the Regulations, which is adjacent to the second length of link road;
"the works period"	means the period starting at 22.00 hours on Monday 7 February 2011 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 5 and 6, no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the first length of link road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the link road.

5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

6. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 shall not apply to any vehicle –

(a) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes; or

(b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable, or traffic officer in uniform;

and nothing in article 4 shall apply to any vehicle being used for or in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer in uniform.

7. During the works period, regulations 5 and (in so far as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Regulations are hereby suspended in respect of a hard shoulder, at such times and to such extent as may from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

24th January 2011

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(a) S.I. 1982/1163, amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364