

**2012 No. 1241**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A66 Trunk Road (Blackwell Roundabout to Blands Corner Roundabout) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012**

*Made* - - - - *3rd May 2012*

*Coming into force* - - *13th May 2012*

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A66 Trunk Road, in the District of Darlington, is satisfied that traffic on that trunk road should be prohibited because carriageway resurfacing, lining and studding 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), makes the following Order: -

**1.** This Order may be cited as the A66 Trunk Road (Blackwell Roundabout to Blands Corner Roundabout) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 13th May 2012.

**2.** In this Order; -

“the A66” means the A66 Trunk Road from its junction with the A66(M) Motorway Blackwell Roundabout to its junction with Blands Corner Roundabout, a distance of 1010 metres;

“the works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 14th May 2012 or any subsequent night thereafter until 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 article 5 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the A66.

**4.** Subject as mentioned in article 5 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or leave the A66 Trunk Road at Blackwell Junction.

**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 and shall not apply to:

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

3rd May 2012

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(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.