

**2012 No. 2853**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A1 Trunk Road (Wyboston, Bedfordshire to Alconbury,  
Cambridgeshire) and the A428 Trunk Road (Eaton Socon to  
Madingley, Cambridgeshire) Lay-bys  
(Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012**

*Made* - - - *5th November 2012*  
*Coming into force* - - *12th November 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A1 Trunk Road (“the A1”) and the A428 Trunk Road (“the A428”) is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road in the Counties of Bedfordshire and Cambridgeshire should be prohibited 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 A1 Trunk Road (Wyboston, Bedfordshire to Alconbury, Cambridgeshire) and the A428 Trunk Road (Eaton Socon to Madingley, Cambridgeshire) Lay-bys (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 12th November 2012.

2. In this Order –

“lay-by” means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles, bounded partly by a road marking on the outer edge of that carriageway complying with diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(b); and in this definition “carriageway” means a way constituting or comprised in a trunk road (other than a cycle track) over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;

“works” mean installation of traffic signs and posts;

“the works period” means the period starting at 06.00 hours on Monday 19th November 2012 and ending when the 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 4 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter a lay-by adjacent to the –

(a) A1 between a point 215 metres south of the centre point of the B1043 overbridge at Alconbury and the centre point of the A428 overbridge at Wyboston, and

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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.

(b) S.I. 2002/3113; Part I.

(b) A428 between its junction with Eaton Socon Roundabout and the centre point of the A1303 overbridge at Madingley.

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 any vehicle being used in connection with the works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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5th November 2012

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