

2013 No. 2170

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The M62 Motorway (Junction 28 to Junction 29) (Temporary
Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013**

Made - - - - 22nd August 2013
Coming into force - - 1st September 2013

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M62 Motorway and connecting roads, in the district of Leeds, in the county of West Yorkshire, is satisfied that traffic on that motorway and some of those connecting roads should be restricted and prohibited because carriageway resurfacing and general maintenance 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 M62 Motorway (Junction 28 to Junction 29) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 1st September 2013.

2. In this Order: -

“the M62” means the M62 Motorway;

“the M1 “ means the M1 Motorway;

“the first length of carriageway” means the M62 eastbound carriageway from a point 1000 metres west of the nose of the exit slip road at Junction 28 (Tingley) eastwards for a distance of approximately 2000 metres;

“the second length of carriageway” means the M62 westbound carriageway from a point 1000 metres east of the nose of the exit slip road at Junction 29 (Lofthouse Interchange) westwards for a distance of approximately 2000 metres;

“the westbound carriageway” means the M62 westbound carriageway from the nose of the westbound exit slip road at Junction 29 to the nose of the westbound entry slip road at Junction 28;

“the eastbound carriageway” means the M62 eastbound carriageway from the nose of the eastbound exit slip road at Junction 28 to the nose of the eastbound entry slip road at Junction 29;

“a connecting road “ means the following slip roads or link roads:

- (i) M62 westbound entry and eastbound exit slip roads at Junction 29;
- (ii) M62 eastbound entry and westbound exit slip roads at Junction 28;
- (iii) the link road connecting the M1 northbound carriageway with the M62 westbound carriageway at Lofthouse Interchange; or
- (iv) the link road connecting the M1 southbound carriageway with the M62 westbound carriageway at Lofthouse Interchange;

(a) 1984 c.27; new sections 14 were substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.

“the works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 20:00 hours on Monday 2nd September 2013 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 be driven at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the first length of carriageway or the second length of carriageway..

4. Subject as mentioned in article 5 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the westbound carriageway, eastbound carriageway or a connecting 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. Nothing in articles 4 shall 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 winter maintenance purposes;
or
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable in uniform;

and nothing in article 3 shall apply to a vehicle being used for the purpose specified in paragraph (a) of this article.

6. No speed limit imposed by this Order applies to vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011(a) when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

22nd August 2013

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