

**2013 No. 583**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A1 Trunk Road (Little Ponton, Lincolnshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013**

*Made - - - - 4th March 2013*

*Coming into force - - 11th March 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A1 Trunk Road (“the A1”) and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on one of those connecting roads, at Little Ponton near Grantham in the County of Lincolnshire, 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 (Little Ponton, Lincolnshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 11th March 2013.

2. In this Order:

“the link road” means the link road leading from northbound carriageway of the A1 to the B1174 at Little Ponton;

“layby” means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles and bounded partly by a traffic sign of the type shown in diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations 2002(b) and partly by the outer edge of that carriageway on the same side of the road as that on which the sign is placed; and in this definition “carriageway” means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in a length of the trunk road over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a suitable surface for the exercise of that right;

“the works period” means the period starting at 20:00 hours on Sunday 17th March 2013 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.

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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 1.

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 link road.

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 layby situated adjacent to the northbound carriageway of the A1 approximately 49 metres north of its junction with 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 and shall not apply to any vehicle-

- (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
- (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable; or
- (iii) being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

4th March 2013

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