

**2015 No. 260**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A31 Trunk Road (Rufus Stone Road) (Temporary  
Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015**

*Made* - - - - - *2nd February 2015*

*Coming into force* - - - - - *23rd February 2015*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A31 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted and prohibited on lengths of that road 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 A31 Trunk Road (Rufus Stone Road) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2015 and shall come into force on 23rd February 2015.

2. In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the A31 Trunk Road in the County of Hampshire;

“the side road” means the Rufus Stone Road at its junction with the trunk road;

“works” means resurfacing and associated work on the Rufus Stone Road by Hampshire County Council; and

“a works period” means a period of 10 hours starting at 2000 hours on Wednesday 25th February 2015 or on any subsequent weekday until the works are completed.

3. Subject as mentioned in articles 4 below, no person shall during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter the side road.

4. (1) Nothing in article 3 above shall apply to -

- (a) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;
- (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform; or
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.
- (e) a vehicle proceeding in the side road to or from premises accessible from, and only from, that road, to such extent as shall be indicated by traffic signs

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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.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

2nd February 2015

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