S T A T U T O R Y I N S T R U M E N T S

2010 No. 337

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A12 Trunk Road (Lowestoft, Suffolk) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - -	*8 February 2010*
Coming into force - -	*15 February 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A12 Trunk Road ("the A12"), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road in the County of Suffolk should be restricted and 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 A12 Trunk Road (Lowestoft, Suffolk) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 15 February 2010.

2. In this Order –

"the trunk road" means the northbound and southbound carriageways of the A12 between the centre points of its junctions with North Parade and Yarmouth Road/High Street Lowestoft;

"the works" mean road marking and signing improvements to the trunk road;

"a works period" means a period of 9 hours starting at 21:00 hours on Tuesday 16 February 2010 or on any subsequent day 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 articles 5 and 6 no person shall, during a works period, drive any vehicle at a speed exceeding 10 miles per hour on a length of the trunk road whilst traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Traffic Road Regulation Act 1984 indicating "convoy working" on that length are displayed.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to -

(a) overtake any other moving vehicle on the trunk road, or

(b) enter or leave the trunk road at its junction with –

(i) Cart Score,

(ii) Park Road, or

(iii) St. Margaret's Road.

(**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.

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.

6. Nothing in article 4 shall apply to a vehicle –

(a) being used in connection with the said works, for winter service maintenance or traffic officer purposes,

(b) being used for police, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes, or

(c) proceeding at the direction, or with the permission, of a police officer or traffic officer in uniform;

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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8 February 2010