STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 2925

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A2 Trunk Road (Westbound, Near Dunkirk) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - -	*11th November 2013*
Coming into force - -	*30th November 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A2 Trunk Road and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted and prohibited on lengths of that road and prohibited on one of those connecting roads 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 A2 Trunk Road (Westbound, Near Dunkirk) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 30th November 2013.

2. In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A2 Trunk Road near Dunkirk in the County of Kent;

"the length of carriageway" means the westbound carriageway of the A2 between points 2240 metres and 640 metres east of the Eastern overbridge;

"the slip road" means the road leading from the westbound carriageway of the A2 to the Eastern overbridge at Dunkirk;

"works" mean reinstallation of road markings and road studs and all associated carriageway work on the trunk road; and

"a works period" means a period of 10 hours starting at 2000 hours on Monday 2nd December 2013 or on any subsequent day until 29th May 2015.

3. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the slip road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on a length of carriageway.

5.The provisions of articles 3 and 4 above shall apply only at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

(**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.

6. (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;

(d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes; or

(e) a vehicle proceeding in the slip road or from premises accessible from, and only from, the slip road, to such extent as shall be indicated by traffic signs.

(2) Nothing in article 4 above shall apply to a vehicle being used for police, ambulance or fire and rescue authority purposes and 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 for Transport

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in the Highways Agency

11th November 2013

(**a**) S.I. 2011/935.