STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2009 No. 3371

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A34 Trunk Road (South Hinksey, Carriageways) (Temporary Speed Restrictions) Order 2009

Made - - - -	*14th December 2009*
Coming into force - -	*2nd January 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A34 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted 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 A34 Trunk Road (South Hinksey, Carriageways) (Temporary Speed Restrictions) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 2nd January 2010.

2. In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A34 Trunk Road in the County of Oxfordshire;

"a length of carriageway" means –

(i) the northbound carriageway of the trunk road (Southern By-Pass Road) between points 2100 metres south and 100 metres north of South Hinksey overbridge, or

(ii) the southbound carriageway of the trunk road (Southern By-Pass Road) between points 2100 metres north and 100 metres south of South Hinksey overbridge;

"works" mean bridge maintenance work on the trunk road; and

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 4th January 2010 or on any subsequent day until 1st July 2011.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding –

(a) 10 miles per hour on a length of carriageway while traffic signs of a character authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 indicating "convoy working" on that length of road are displayed; or

(b) 40 miles per hour on a length of carriageway while the traffic signs specified in paragraph (a) of this article in relation to that length of road are not displayed.

(**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.

4. The provisions of article 3 above shall apply only at such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs, and shall not apply to a vehicle being used for police, ambulance or fire and rescue authority purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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14th December 2009