STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 1285

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A34 Trunk Road (Tot Hill Interchange – West Ilsley Interchange) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2013

Made - - - -	*13th May 2013*
Coming into force - -	*2nd June 2013*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A34 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be restricted on a length 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 (Tot Hill Interchange – West Ilsley Interchange) (Temporary Restriction of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 2nd June 2013 and shall apply for a period of twelve months.

2. In this Order:

"the trunk road" means the A34 Trunk Road in the County of Hampshire, the District of West Berkshire and the County of Oxfordshire;

"the length of trunk road" means both carriageways of the trunk road between Tot Hill Interchange overbridge (B4640) south of Newbury and West Ilsley Interchange;

"works" means inlay, patching, white lining, catseye replacement, kerbing, gully, vegetation clearing and all associated work on the trunk road; and

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Sunday 2nd June 2013 or on any subsequent day until 1st June 2014.

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 the length of trunk road 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 the length of trunk road while the traffic signs specified in paragraph (a) of this article in relation to that length of road are not displayed.

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.

(**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

S Duke
An Asset Delivery Manager
in the Highways Agency

13th May 2013