SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2026 No. 264

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A9 Trunk Road (Halkirk) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2026

Made - - - -	*15th September 2026*
Coming into force - -	*23rd September 2026*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 62(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(**a**) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 62(1) of that Act, they are of the opinion that considerations of public safety or convenience require that traffic should be temporarily prohibited on the length of road specified in the schedule.

Citation, commencement and cessation

1. This Order may be cited as the A9 Trunk Road (Halkirk) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2026, comes into force on 23 September 2026 and ceases to have effect on 24 September 2026.

Prohibition on use of road

2. No person may use or permit the use of, any vehicle on the length of road, or a part or parts of the length of road, specified in the schedule when a prohibition is identified as applying to that length of road, or a part or parts of that length of road, by means of a traffic sign of the type described in item 8 (diagram 7105 - position of barrier to mark length of road closed or to guide traffic past an obstruction) of the sign table in Part 6 of schedule 13 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016(**b**).

Exemptions

3. No prohibition imposed by this Order applies to a vehicle being used—

(a) in an emergency for fire brigade, ambulance, police or coastguard purposes,

(b) in connection with the exercise, or

(**a**) 1984 c. 54. Section 62(1) was amended by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c.11), schedule 1, paragraph 6. The Scottish Ministers are the roads authority by virtue of section 151 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c. 54) as amended by S.I. 2001/1400.

(**b**) S.I. 2016/362.

(c) in connection with the placing of the required signage.

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15th September 2026

SCHEDULE

Article 2

SPECIFIED LENGTH OF ROAD

That length of the M9/A9 Edinburgh – Stirling – Thurso Trunk Road from its junction with the C1014 in a generally northwards direction to its junction with the A882, a distance of 3.2 kilometres or thereby.