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

2010 No. 204

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M3 Motorway (Junctions 13 and 14, Slip/Link Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - -	*25th January 2010*
Coming into force - -	*30th January 2010*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M3 Motorway and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on some of those connecting roads because works are proposed to be executed on and near the road:

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 M3 Motorway (Junctions 13 and 14, Slip/Link Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 30th January 2010.

2. In this Order:

"the motorway" means the M3 Motorway near Eastleigh in the County of Hampshire;

"a slip road" means –

(i) the road leading from the northbound carriageway of the motorway to the A335 (Leigh Road) at Junction 13, or

(ii) the road leading to the northbound carriageway of the motorway from the A335 (Leigh Road) at Junction 13;

"the link road" means the road leading from the southbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 13, from the entry link road leading to the westbound carriageway of the M27 to the southbound entry link road leading to the A33 at Junction 14;

"works" mean resurfacing, de-siltation of balancing ponds and all associated works on and near the motorway; and

"a works period" means a period of 7½ hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 1st February 2010 or on any subsequent day until 29th July 2011.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road or the link road.

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 -

(b) a vehicle being used in connection with the said works;

(**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.

(c) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;

(d) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform; or

(e) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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25th January 2010