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

2010 No. 1423

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M3 Motorway (Junctions 7 – 9, Southbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - -	*10th May 2010*
Coming into force - -	*15th May 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 a length of that road and 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 M3 Motorway (Junctions 7 – 9, Southbound) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 15th May 2010.

2. In this Order:

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

"the length of carriageway" means the southbound carriageway of the motorway from the exit slip road at Junction 7 (Dummer Interchange - A30) to the entry slip road at Junction 9 (Winchester Interchange - A34);

"the slip road" means the road leading to the southbound carriageway of the motorway at Junction 7 (A30);

"works" means gantry, bridge and motorway inspection, cyclic maintenance and all associated works; and

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 17th May 2010 or on any subsequent day until 14th November 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 the length of carriageway or the slip 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 -

(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; or

(**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.

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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10th May 2010 in the Highways Agency