STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2012 No. 79

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M4 Motorway (Junction 19) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - -	*5th January 2012*
Coming into force - -	*14th January 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M4 Motorway ("the M4") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of that road and one of those connecting roads at Junction 19 in South Gloucestershire should be prohibited 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 M4 Motorway (Junction 19) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 14th January 2012.

2. In this Order –

"the circulatory carriageway" means the circulatory carriageway at M4 Junction 19 between (i) the westbound entry slip road and the eastbound exit slip road; and (ii) the eastbound entry slip road and the westbound exit slip road;

"the slip road" means the eastbound exit slip road at M4 Junction 19;

"the works" mean concrete repairs and structure strengthening work at M4 Junction 19;

"a works period" means a period of 8 hours starting at 21.00 hours on Monday 16th January 2012 or on any subsequent day and ending when the said works have been completed;

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to the article in this Order which bears that number.

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

4. The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during 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 for police, traffic officer, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;

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

(**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 in connection with the said works or for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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in the Highways Agency

5th January 2012