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2010 No. 392

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M42 Motorway (Junction 3a, Warwickshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010

Made - - - - 1 February 2010

Coming into force - - 8 February 2010

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M42 Motorway ("the M42") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on a length of that motorway and on one of those connecting roads in the County of Warwickshire 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) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984**(a)**, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the M42 Motorway (Junction 3a, Warwickshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2010 and shall come into force on 8 February 2010.

2. In this Order –

"the link road"	means the link road leading from the eastbound carriageway of the M42 to the northbound carriageway of the M42 at Junction 3a;
"the motorway"	means the northbound carriageway of the M42 from its junction with the link road, to School Road under bridge;
"the Regulations"	means the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982**(b)**;
"a hard shoulder"	means the hard shoulder, within the meaning of Regulation 3(1)(e) of the Regulations, which is adjacent to the motorway;
"the works period"	means the period starting at 21.30 hours on Friday 12 February 2010 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 the works period, cause or permit any

(**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

(b) S.I. 1982/1163, amended by S.I. 1983/374, 1984/1479, 1992/1364.

vehicle to enter or proceed in the motorway or the link 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 any vehicle -

(a) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes;
(b) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police officer or traffic officer in uniform; or
(c) being used for or in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer.

5. During the works period, regulations 5 and (in so far as it relates to a vehicle being driven) 9 of the Regulations are hereby suspended in respect of a hard shoulder, at such times and to such extent as may from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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in the Highways Agency

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