STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2012 No. 623

ROAD TRAFFIC

The M6 Motorway (Junction 16) (Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - - -	*24th February 2012*
Coming into force - -	*2nd March 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the M6 Motorway ("the M6") and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic on two of those connecting roads in the County of Staffordshire, 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)**, and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as The M6 Motorway (Junction 16) (Slip Roads) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 2nd March 2012.

2. In this Order -

"a slip road"	means the slip roads leading from – i) the northbound carriageway of the M6 at Junction 16; and ii) the southbound carriageway of the M6 at Junction 16;
"the works period"	means the period starting at 21:00 hours on Saturday 3rd March 2012 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 vehicle to enter or proceed in a slip road.

(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.

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 constable, or traffic officer in uniform; or

(c) being used for or in connection with the said works or by a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

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24th February 2012