

**2014 No. 1247**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A40 Trunk Road (Whitchurch, Herefordshire) (Temporary  
Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014**

*Made - - - - 30th April 2014*

*Coming into force - - 7th May 2014*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A40 Trunk Road (“the A40”), is satisfied that traffic on a length of that trunk road, at Whitchurch in the County of Herefordshire, should be restricted and 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 A40 Trunk Road (Whitchurch, Herefordshire) (Temporary Restriction and Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on Wednesday 7th May 2014.

2. In this Order –

“the trunk road” means the westbound carriageway of the A40 from a point 300 metres northeast of the centreline of the Goodrich Cross overbridge, to a point 100 metres west of its junction with the exit from Daff-Y-Nant Service Station;

"the works period" means the period starting at 00:01 hours on Wednesday 14th May 2014 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 articles 5 and 6, no person shall, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the trunk road.

4. Subject as mentioned in articles 5 and 6, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter the trunk road at its junction with Hewlins Lane.

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(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

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5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

6. The provisions of –

- (a) articles 3 and 4 shall not apply to any vehicle -
  - (i) being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes; or
  - (ii) proceeding at the direction of, or with the permission of, a police constable;
- (b) article 3 shall not apply to any vehicle being used for special forces purposes; and
- (c) article 4 shall not apply to any vehicle being used in connection with the said works.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

30th April 2014

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