

2014 No. 1300

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A69 Trunk Road (West Denton Interchange to Denton Burn Interchange) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014

Made - - - - *1st May 2014*

Coming into force - - *9th May 2014*

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A69 Trunk Road and connecting roads, in the District of Newcastle upon Tyne, is satisfied that traffic on that trunk road and some of those connecting roads should be prohibited because routine maintenance 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), makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the A69 Trunk Road (West Denton Interchange to Denton Burn Interchange) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 9th May 2014.

2. In this Order: –

“the A69” means the A69 Trunk Road;

“the eastbound carriageway” and “the westbound carriageway” mean, respectively, the A69 eastbound and westbound carriageways from a point approximately 300 metres west of the centreline of its junction with the B6528 West Denton Interchange to the centreline of its junction with the A1 at Denton Burn Interchange a distance of approximately 1500 metres;

“a slip road” means the A69 eastbound entry and westbound exit slip roads at West Denton Interchange;

“a layby” means an area of carriageway intended for the waiting of vehicles, bounded partly by a road marking on the outer edge of that carriageway complying with diagram 1010 in Schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(b); and in this definition “carriageway” means any way (other than a cycle track) comprised in the A69 over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles and which has a surface suitable for the exercise of that right;

“bus stop area” means any area of carriageway on a side of the A69, intended for the waiting of buses, which is comprised within and indicated by a road marking complying with diagrams 1025.1, 1025.3 or 1025.4 in schedule 6 to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002(c);

“the works period” means a period of 13 hours starting at 19:00 hours on Saturday 10th May 2014 or any subsequent night thereafter until the said works have been completed;

(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. 2002/3113. Part I.

(c) S.I. 2002/3113.

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 7 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in the eastbound carriageway, the westbound carriageway or a slip road.

4. Subject as mentioned in article 7 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or wait in the laybys situated adjacent to the A69:

- (i) eastbound carriageway approximately 420 metres west of Denton Burn Interchange; or
- (ii) westbound carriageway approximately 370 metres and 500 metres west of Denton Burn Interchange;

5. Subject as mentioned in article 7 no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or wait in a bus stop area situated adjacent to the A69:

- (i) eastbound carriageway approximately 40 metres west of the centre point of Thornley Road footbridge;
- (ii) westbound carriageway approximately 20 metres east of the centre point of Thornley Road footbridge;
- (iii) westbound exit slip road; or
- (iv) eastbound exit slip road.

6. Subject as mentioned in article 7, no person shall, during the works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or leave the A69 eastbound carriageway at Sandringham Road or westbound carriageway at Southway.

7. The provisions of articles 3, 4, 5 and 6 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, fire and rescue authority or ambulance purposes;
- (b) a vehicle being used for, or in connection with, the said works, or for traffic officer or winter maintenance purposes; or
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

1st May 2014

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