

2012 No. 485 (W. 80)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A4232 Trunk Road (St Brides
Over-bridge to Ely River Viaduct,
Cardiff) (Temporary 50 mph & 40
mph Speed Limits) Order 2012

Made 23 February 2012

Coming into force 5 March 2012

The Welsh Ministers, being the traffic authority for the relevant length of the London – Fishguard Trunk Road (A4232) (hereinafter referred to as “the trunk road”), are satisfied that traffic in specified lengths of the trunk road should be restricted by reason of works being executed thereon.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) and of all other enabling powers(2), make this Order.

1. This Order comes into force on 5 March 2012 and its title is The A4232 Trunk Road (St Brides Over-bridge to Ely River Viaduct, Cardiff) (Temporary 50 mph & 40 mph Speed Limits) Order 2012.

2. —(1) In this Order:

“the lengths of the trunk road” (*“y darnau o’r gefnffordd”*) means those lengths of the southbound carriageway of the A4232 trunk road between St Brides over-bridge and Ely River Viaduct in the City and County of Cardiff specified in the Schedules to this Order;

“works period” (*“cyfnod y gwaith”*) means the period commencing at 20:00 hours on 5 March 2012 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

(2) Any reference in this Order to a numbered article or Schedule is a reference to the article or Schedule bearing that number in this Order.

3. Subject to the provisions of article 5, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1.

4. Subject to the provisions of article 5, no person shall, during the works period, drive or cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour in the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2.

5. The provisions of articles 3 and 4 apply only during such times and to such extent as the application of the restrictions referred to therein is indicated by traffic signs.

6. The maximum duration of this Order shall be 12 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Local Government and Communities, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the

23 February 2012

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(1) 1984 c.27; Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.

(2) By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, article 2 and Schedule 1, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

50 mph Speed Limit

The length of the southbound carriageway of the trunk road that extends from a point 300 metres north west of the centre-point of St Brides over-bridge to a point 302 metres north west of the start of the kerbed traffic island at the St Fagans junction.

SCHEDULE 2
40 mph Speed Limit

The length of the southbound carriageway of the trunk road that extends from a point 302 metres north west of the start of the kerbed traffic island at the St Fagans junction to a point 66 metres north west of the centre-point of the Ely River Viaduct, including the deceleration and acceleration splays at the St Fagans junction within the extent of the trunk road boundary.