

**2020 No. 925 (W. 207)**

**ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES**

The A4042 Trunk Road (Pontypool  
Roundabout, Torfaen to Little Mill  
Junction, Monmouthshire)  
(Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles  
and Cyclists) Order 2020

*Made* 30 June 2020

*Coming into force* 6 July 2020

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A4042 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on specified lengths of the trunk road should be prohibited because of works proposed on or near the road.

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), make this Order.

**Title, Commencement and Interpretation**

1. The title of this Order is the A4042 Trunk Road (Pontypool Roundabout, Torfaen to Little Mill Junction, Monmouthshire) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles and Cyclists) Order 2020 and it comes into force on 6 July 2020.

2. In this Order—

“exempted vehicle” (*“cerbyd esempt”*) means any vehicle being used by the emergency services or in connection with the works giving rise to this Order;

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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. By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006(c.32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh ministers in relation to Wales.

“the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the A4042 Newport to Shrewsbury Trunk Road in the Counties of Torfaen and Monmouthshire as follows;

- i. the length of the trunk road that extends from Pontypool Roundabout to Mamhilad Roundabout;
- ii. the length of the trunk road that extends from Court Farm Roundabout to a point 15 metres southwest of the centre-point of its junction with the A472 to Little Mill.

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means the period commencing at 20:00 hours on 6 July 2020 and ending when the temporary traffic signs are permanently removed.

### **Prohibitions**

**3.** No person may, during the works period, drive any vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, on the lengths of the trunk road.

**4.** No person may, during the works period, ride any pedal cycle on the lengths of the trunk road.

### **Application**

**5.** The prohibitions in article 3 and 4 apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

### **Duration of this Order**

**6.** The maximum duration for this Order is 18 months.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Economy, Transport and North Wales, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated

30 June 2020

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