

2023 No. 1441 (W. 262)

ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A470 Trunk Road (Southbound
Layby situated north of Betws-y-
Coed, Conwy County Borough)
(Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles,
Cyclists and Pedestrians) Order
2023

Made 29 December 2023

Coming into force 8 January 2024

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A470 trunk road, are satisfied that traffic on a specified length 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 and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the A470 Trunk Road (Southbound Layby situated north of Betws-y-Coed, Conwy County Borough) (Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles, Cyclists and Pedestrians) Order 2023 and this Order comes into force on 8 January 2024.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

(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.

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

“the length of the trunk road” (“*y gefnffordd*”) means the southbound layby on the A470 Maentwrog to east of Conwy trunk road located 435 metres north of the entrance to the Zip World Betws-y-Coed site, north of Betws-y-Coed;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means the period commencing at 00:01 hours on 8 January 2024 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 length of the trunk road.

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

5. No pedestrian may, during the works period, proceed on the length of the trunk road.

Application

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

Duration of this Order

7. The maximum duration of this Order is 12 months.

Signed on behalf of the Deputy Minister for Climate Change, acting under the authority of the Minister for Climate Change, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated the

29 December 2023

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