

2012 No. 1159

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The A31 Trunk Road (Merley Roundabout) (No Entry) Order
2012**

<i>Made</i> - - - -	<i>16th April 2012</i>
<i>Coming into force</i> - -	<i>29th June 2012</i>
<i>Ceases to have effect on</i> -	<i>14th September 2012</i>

The Secretary of State for Transport, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(4) of the London Olympic Games and Paralympic Games Act 2006(a) and under section 1 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(b), makes the following Order:-

1. Commencement, Application and Citation

This Order may be cited as the A31 Trunk Road (Merley Roundabout) (No Entry) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 29th June 2012. This Order relates to the introduction of movement restrictions on a length of the Olympic Route Network as shown in the drawing forming part of this Order. The drawing is referred to in Schedule 1 to this Order and the length of the Olympic Route Network affected by this Order is referred to in Schedule 2 to this Order.

2. Interpretation

- 1) In this Order:
 - a) “ambulance” means a vehicle providing a service to a National Health Service trust, or a Patient Transport Service and bearing the appropriate logo;
 - b) a reference to an Article followed by a number or to a drawing is a reference to the Article so numbered or drawing forming part of this Order;
 - c) “cause” includes “permit” and “causing” includes “permitting”; and
 - d) “vehicle” includes any part of a vehicle.
- 2) Any reference in this Order to a length of street shall be construed as a reference to the whole width of public highway except where one side of a road or length of road is specified, wherein it shall comprise the public highway from its edge to the centre of the carriageway.
- 3) The Interpretation Act 1978(c) as amended shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(a) 2006 c.12.
(b) 1984 c.27; section 1 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), section 168 and Schedule 8, paragraph 17(2).
(c) 1978 c.30.

- 4) The restrictions, prohibitions and requirements imposed by this Order are in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction, prohibition or requirement imposed by any other enactment or Order and any exception or exemption from the provisions of this Order are without prejudice to the provisions of any other enactment or Order.

3. Restricted Movements

- 1) No person shall cause a vehicle to undertake a movement either into or out of the Olympic Route Network in contravention of the restrictions shown on the Drawing forming part of this Order.

4. Application of Measures

The provisions of article 3 above shall apply only during such times and to such extent as may from time to time be indicated by traffic signs.

5. General Exemptions

- 1) Nothing in the Order shall apply to –
 - (a) anything done with the permission or at the direction of a police constable or traffic officer in uniform;
 - (b) any person who causes any vehicle to proceed in accordance with any restriction or requirement indicated by traffic signs placed pursuant to section 66 or section 67 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984;
 - (c) any vehicle being used for police, ambulance, fire and rescue authority or traffic officer purposes;
 - (d) a vehicle being used in the service of a local authority for the purpose of collecting refuse; or
 - (e) any vehicle being used for the maintenance, improvement, reconstruction or operation of the A31 or the A349.

6. Overlaying of certain provisions in existing Orders

- 1) The drawing which forms part of this Order shows the new restrictions imposed by this Order on the ORN. The new restrictions overlay all existing restrictions on the public highways at that location. All other existing restrictions and exemptions unaffected by this Order remain in full force and effect.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

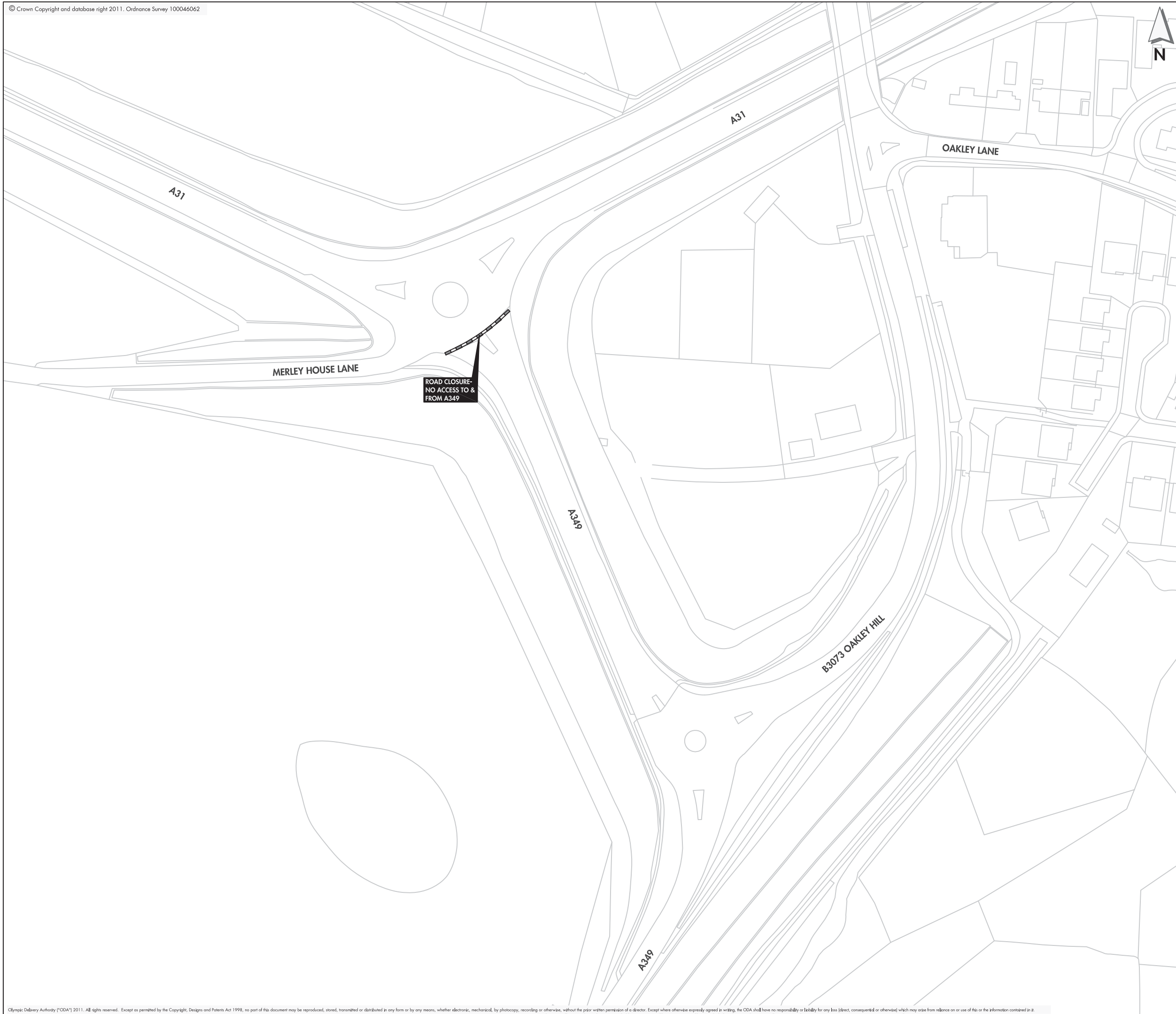
16th April 2012

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SCHEDULE 1

The drawing forming part of this Order

Drawing No. TV14-Merley-001 Rev 4



LEGEND

 POINT CLOSURE

FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES
 Poole Borough Council will manage traffic at A349 junction with B3073 Oakley Hill

NOTES

The restrictions shown on this drawing will overlay any existing restriction at those locations. All other existing restrictions not shown on this drawing will remain in full force and effect.

Purpose of Issue		
TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER		
Creator		
Olympic Delivery Authority on behalf of Highways Agency		
Project Title		
Olympic Route Network Traffic Regulation Order		
Security Class:		
Not Protectively Marked		
Drawn	Checked	Approved
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SCHEDULE 2

The length of Olympic Route Network affected by this Order

The A31 Trunk Road south of Wimborne Minster in the Borough of Poole at its junction with the A349 at Merley roundabout.