

2012 No. 2236

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The A34 Trunk Road (Bullington Cross – Kings Worthy)
(Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012**

Made - - - - - *28th August 2012*

Coming into force - - - - - *15th September 2012*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A34 Trunk Road and connecting roads, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on lengths of that road and on some of those connecting roads because 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), hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as the A34 Trunk Road (Bullington Cross – Kings Worthy) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012 and shall come into force on 15th September 2012.

2. In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the A34 Trunk Road north of Winchester in the County of Hampshire;

“a length of carriageway” means both carriageways of the trunk road between the southbound exit slip road or the northern northbound exit slip road at Bullington Cross (A30/A303) and its junction with the A33 (Basingstoke Road) at Kings Worthy;

“a slip road” means –

- (i) the road leading to the southbound carriageway of the trunk road at Bullington Cross (A30/A303), or
- (ii) any road leading to the southbound carriageway or to the northbound carriageway of the trunk road at Three Maids Hill Interchange (A272);

“works” mean carriageway repairs, bridge bearing replacement and all associated work on the trunk road; and

“a works period” means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 17th September 2012 or on any subsequent day until 14th March 2014.

3. Subject as mentioned in article 4 below, no person shall, during a works period, cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in a length of carriageway or a slip road.

4. The provisions of article 3 above shall apply only at 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 in connection with the said works;
- (b) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance, traffic officer or fire and rescue authority purposes;

(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.

- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform;
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes; or
- (e) a vehicle proceeding in a length of carriageway to or from premises accessible from, and only from, that carriageway, to such extent as shall be indicated by traffic signs.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

28th August 2012

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