2015 No. 299

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A85 Trunk Road (Perth Road to James Square, Crieff) (Temporary Prohibition on Use of Road) Order 2015

Made - - - - 6th August 2015

Coming into force - - 16th August 2015

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(1) and (2), 4(1) and 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 16A(2) of that Act, they are satisfied that the traffic on the length of road specified in the Schedule should be restricted or prohibited for the purpose of facilitating the holding of a relevant event and enabling members of the public to watch that relevant event.

In accordance with section 16A(3) of that Act, they are satisfied that it is not reasonably practicable for the event to be held otherwise than on a road.

In accordance with section 16A(8) of that Act, they have had regard to the safety and convenience of alternative routes suitable for the traffic which will be affected by this Order.

Citation, commencement and cessation

1. This Order may be cited as the A85 Trunk Road (Perth Road to James Square, Crieff) (Temporary Prohibition on Use of Road) Order 2015, comes into force on 16th August 2015 and ceases to have effect on 17th August 2015.

Prohibition on use of vehicles

2. No person may use or permit the use of, any vehicle on the length of road, or a part or parts of the length of road, specified in the Schedule to this Order when a prohibition is identified as applying to that length of road, or a part or parts of that length of road, by means of traffic signs prescribed in Diagram 7010.1 and 7105 of the Traffic Signs Regulations 2002(**b**).

⁽a) 1984 c.27; section 2(1) and (2) were amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 ("the 1991 Act") (c.22) Schedule 8, paragraph 18 and section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c.11), section 1(1). The Scottish Ministers are the traffic authority by virtue of section 121A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (inserted by the 1991 Act, Schedule 8, paragraph 70 and amended by S.I. 2001/1400) as read with section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c.54) (relevantly amended by S.I. 2001/1400). The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).

⁽b) Part 1 of S.I. 2002/3113.

Exemptions

- 3. No prohibition imposed by this Order applies to—
 - (a) a vehicle being used in an emergency for fire brigade, ambulance, police or coastguard purposes; or
 - (b) a vehicle being used for facilitating the holding of the relevant event.

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Buchanan House, Glasgow 6th August 2015

SCHEDULE

Article 2

SPECIFIED LENGTH OF ROAD

That length of the A85 Perth – Lochearnhead Trunk Road from a point 50 metres or thereby southwest of its junction with Rectory Road, Crieff in a generally south-westwards direction along Perth Road and East High Street and then westwards along High Street and James Square to a point 25 metres or thereby east of the junction between West High Street and Academy Road, Crieff, a distance of 690 metres or thereby.

PRESS NOTICE

THE A85 TRUNK ROAD (PERTH ROAD TO JAMES SQUARE, CRIEFF) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION ON USE OF ROAD) ORDER 2015

THE SCOTTISH MINISTERS give notice that they have made the above Order under sections 2(1), 2(2), 4(1) and 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, temporarily prohibiting traffic on that length of the A85 Perth – Lochearnhead Trunk Road from a point 50 metres or thereby southwest of its junction with Rectory Road, Crieff in a generally south-westwards direction along Perth Road and East High Street and then westwards along High Street and James Square to a point 25 metres or thereby east of the junction between West High Street and Academy Road, Crieff, a distance of 690 metres or thereby.

The Order is required to facilitate the Crieff Highland Gathering 2015 and to enable members of the public to watch this event. It is anticipated that the restrictions will be in place only when required from 10:30 hours until 12:30 hours, and 18:00 hours to 19:00 hours on 16th August 2015. The Order does not apply to vehicles while being used in an emergency for fire brigade, coastguard, ambulance or police.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES

An alternative route for traffic during the prohibition is not required.

A copy of the Order and this Notice will be available on the Transport Scotland website http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/node/666

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