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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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2014 No. 280

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A96 Trunk Road (Church Road, Keith) (Temporary Prohibition on Use of Road) Order 2014**

<i>Made</i>	- - -	<i>28th October 2014</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- - -	<i>9th November 2014</i>

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 A96 Trunk Road (Church Road, Keith) (Temporary Prohibition on Use of Road) Order 2014, comes into force on 9th November 2014 and ceases to have effect on 10th November 2014.

**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).

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(a) 1984 c.27. Section 2(1) and (2) were amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22) Schedule 8, paragraph 18 and section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c.11). The Scottish Ministers are the traffic authority by virtue of section 121A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (inserted by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 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). 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.

A member of the staff of the Scottish Ministers

Buchanan House,  
Glasgow  
28th October 2014

**SCHEDULE**  
**SPECIFIED LENGTH OF ROAD**

Article 2

That length of the A96 Aberdeen – Inverness Trunk Road known as Church Road, Keith from its junction with Banff Road, Keith, to its junction with Seafield Avenue, Keith, a distance of 200 metres or thereby.

PRESS NOTICE

**THE A96 TRUNK ROAD (CHURCH ROAD, KEITH) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION ON USE OF ROAD) ORDER 2014**

THE SCOTTISH MINISTERS give notice that they have made the above Order temporarily prohibiting traffic on that length of the A96 Aberdeen – Inverness Trunk Road known as Church Road, Keith from its junction with Banff Road, Keith to its junction with Seafield Avenue, Keith, a distance of 200 metres or thereby.

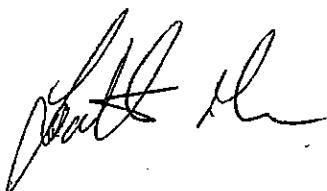
The Order, which is required to facilitate the Keith Armistice Day Parade, 2014, and to enable members of the public to watch this event, will be in operation from 9th November 2014 until 10th November 2014, but will only have effect in relation to such length of road as is indicated by the appropriate traffic signs. The closure will be for a short period of time to allow the ceremony to take place in safety. The Order does not apply to a vehicle while being used in an emergency for fire service, coastguard, ambulance or police purposes or a vehicle being used to facilitate the holding of the parade.

**ALTERNATIVE ROUTE**

Alternative routes for traffic during the prohibition will be signposted. Detailed descriptions can also be obtained at BEAR Scotland Ltd, BEAR House, Inveralmond Road, Inveralmond Industrial Estate, Perth, PH1 3TW and The Moray Council, The Institute, 138 – 140 Mid Street, Keith AB55 5BJ.

A copy of the Order and this Notice will be available on the Transport Scotland website at <http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/road/policy/legal-requirements/road-and-traffic-orders/TROs>

For information about roadworks on motorways and trunk roads visit [www.trafficscotland.org.uk](http://www.trafficscotland.org.uk)



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