2012 No. 251

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A82 Trunk Road (Drumnadrochit to Fort Augustus) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012

Made - - -

13th September 2012

Coming into force -

22nd September 2012

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(1) and (2), 4(1) and 14(1)(a) and (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a) ("the Act") and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 14(1)(a) of the Act, they are satisfied that the traffic on the length of road specified in the Schedule should be restricted or prohibited because works are being or are proposed to be executed on or near that length of road.

In accordance with section 14(3) of the Act, they have had regard to the existence 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 A82 Trunk Road (Drumnadrochit to Fort Augustus) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2012, comes into force on 22nd September 2012 and ceases to have effect on 30th October 2012.

Temporary prohibition on use of vehicles

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

⁽a) 1984 c.27; Section 2 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), Schedule 8, paragraph 18: section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. 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 (c.22), 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.

Exemption

3. No prohibition imposed by this Order applies to a vehicle being used in an emergency for fire brigade, ambulance, police or coastguard purposes or a vehicle while being used for carrying out the works.

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A member of the staff of the Scottish Ministers

Buchanan House, Glasgow 13th September 2012

SCHEDULE

Article 2

That length of the A82 Dalnottar – Inverness Trunk Road from its junction with the A831 Road to Milton at Drumnadrochit, southwards to the unclassified access road to Ardochy House, south of Fort Augustus, a distance of 30.958 kilometres or thereby.

PRESS NOTICE

THE A82 TRUNK ROAD (DRUMNADROCHIT TO FORT AUGUSTUS) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC) ORDER 2012

THE SCOTTISH MINISTERS give notice that they have made the above Order temporarily prohibiting traffic on that length of the A82 Dalnottar - Inverness Trunk Road from its junction with the A831 Road to Milton at Drumnadrochit, southwards to the unclassified access road to Ardochy House, south of Fort Augustus, a distance of 30.958 kilometres or thereby.

The Order, which is required to facilitate the transportation of an electrical transformer will be in operation from 22nd September 2012 until 30th October 2012 and will only have effect in relation to such length of road as is indicated by the appropriate traffic signs. The Order does not apply to vehicles while being used in connection with the placing of the required signage or vehicles being used in an emergency for fire brigade, coastguard, ambulance or police purposes or to acts done with the permission or upon the direction of a police constable in uniform.

There is no alternative route for traffic affected by this Order and it is anticipated that there will be two periods of closure, one each on the 23rd September 2012 and 14th October 2012.

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

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