## SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2003 No. 564

#### ROAD TRAFFIC

The A99 Trunk Road (Wick) (Restricted Road) Order 2003

Made Coming into force

21<sup>st</sup> November 2003 5<sup>th</sup> December 2003

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 82(2)(b), 83(1) and 124(1)(d) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, and having complied with Part II of the Secretary of State's Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1987(b), hereby make the following Order:-

#### Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the A99 Trunk Road (Wick) (Restricted Road) Order 2003 and shall come into force on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2003.

### Revocation of Previous Restricted Roads Order

2. At 23.59 hours on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2003 the Trunk Roads (Restricted Roads) (Caithness) (Variation) Order 1996(c) which varied the Trunk Roads (Restricted Roads) (Caithness) Order 1975(d) shall be revoked.

#### Variation of Previous Restricted Roads Order

3. At 23.59 hours on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2003 the Trunk Roads (Restricted Roads) (Caithness) Order 1975(d) shall be varied to the effect that Paragraph 1 of the Schedule to that Order is deleted.

(a)1984 c.27; sections 82(2) and 83(1) were amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), Schedule 8, paragraphs 59 and 60 respectively. 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 which was amended by the Scotland Act 1998 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2001 (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 the Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/1750).

(b)S.I. 1987/2244.

(c)S.I. 1996/96.

(d)S.I. 1975/477.

# Commencement of New Restricted Road

4. At 00.01 hours on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2003 the length of road specified in the Schedule to this Order is directed to become a restricted road for the purposes of section 81 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, which imposes a speed limit of 30mph on a restricted road.

J G BARTON

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21st November 2003

# SCHEDULE

That length of the A99 Latheron-Wick Trunk Road at Wick from a point opposite the extended north kerbline of the A882 at Thurso Road, Wick southwards to a point 270 metres or thereby south of the extended north kerbline of Hospital Road, a distance of 1,000 metres or thereby.