

**2014 No. 2930**

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

**The A259 Trunk Road (Level Crossings) (Temporary  
Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014**

*Made* - - - - *6th October 2014*

*Coming into force* - - *31st October 2014*

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A259 Trunk Road, is satisfied that traffic should be prohibited on a length of that road 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 A259 Trunk Road (Level Crossings) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2014 and shall come into force on 31st October 2014.

**2.** In this Order:

“the trunk road” means the A259 Trunk Road in the Counties of East Sussex and Kent;

“the first length of carriageway” means both carriageways of the A259 between 30 metres west and 30 metres east of the East Guldeford Level Crossing;

“the second length of carriageway” means both carriageways of the A259 between 30 metres west and 30 metres east of the Star Level Crossing;

“the third length of carriageway” means both carriageways of the A259 between 30 metres west and 30 metres east of the Brookland Level Crossing;

“works” means railway and level crossing maintenance works which have been programmed by Network Rail;

“a first works period” means a period of 8 hours starting at 2200 hours on Monday 3rd November 2014 or on any subsequent day until 30th April 2016; and

“a second works period” means a period of 27 hours starting at 0100 hours Sunday 2nd November 2014 or on any subsequent Sunday until 30th April 2016.

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

**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 -

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(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.

- (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;
- (c) anything done at the direction of, or with the permission of, a constable or traffic officer in uniform; or
- (d) any vehicle being used for winter maintenance purposes.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

6th October 2014

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