

2010 No. 2820

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A1 Trunk Road (Gateshead/Newcastle Western Bypass) (Birtley Interchange to Blaydon Viaduct) (50 Miles Per Hour Speed Restriction) Order 2010

Made - - - - - *18 November 2010*

Coming into force - - - - - *28 November 2010*

The Secretary of State for Transport, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 84(1)(a) and (2) of, and paragraph 27(1) of Schedule 9 to, the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), makes the following Order in the Districts of Gateshead and Newcastle:

1. This Order may be cited as the A1 Trunk Road (Gateshead/Newcastle Western Bypass) (Birtley Interchange to Blaydon Viaduct) (50 Miles Per Hour Speed Restriction) Order 2010, and shall come into force on 28 November 2010.

2. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to be driven at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the lengths of the A1 Trunk Road (herein “the A1”) as specified in the Schedule to this Order.

3. The A1 Trunk Road (Gateshead/Newcastle Western Bypass) (Birtley to Seaton Burn) (Variable Speed Limit) Order 2001(b), and any other speed restriction Order insofar as it relates to the lengths of A1 specified in the Schedule to this Order, are revoked and replaced by this Order.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

18 November 2010

M Schofield
An Area Performance Manager
in the Highways Agency

(a) 1984 c.27; section 84(1) was substituted by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c.40), section 45(2); and section 84(2) was substituted by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), section 168 and Schedule 8, paragraph 61.
(b) S.I. 2001/1172.

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SCHEDULE

Northbound:

- (i) the A1 northbound carriageway from the tip of the concrete nosing (herein “the nosing”) of the northbound entry slip road at the A1231 Birtley Interchange (the end of the A1(M) Motorway at Junction 65) to a point 180 metres south of the nosing of the northbound entry slip road at the A694 Blaydon Interchange, a total distance of 11342 metres;
- (ii) the A1 northbound entry slip road at the A1231 Birtley Interchange from its junction with the A1231 to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 181 metres;
- (iii) the southern section of the A1 northbound entry slip road at the A1231 Birtley Interchange from 16 metres northeast of its junction with the A1231 Blackfell Roundabout to its junction with the A1 northbound entry slip road at (ii) above, a total distance of 29 metres;
- (iv) the A1 northbound exit slip road at the A167 Eighton Lodge Interchange from its junction with the A1 to 22 metres southeast of its junction with that interchange roundabout, a total distance of 284 metres;
- (v) the A1 northbound entry slip road at the A167 Eighton Lodge Interchange from 42 metres northwest of its junction with that interchange roundabout to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 332 metres;
- (vi) the A1 northbound exit slip road at Kingsway Interchange from its junction with the A1 to 30 metres east of its junction with that interchange roundabout, a total distance of 201 metres;
- (vii) the A1 northbound entry slip road at Kingsway Interchange from 33 metres west of its junction with that interchange roundabout to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 234 metres;
- (viii) the A1 northbound entry slip road at the A692 Loblely Hill Interchange from 47 metres north of its junction with that interchange roundabout to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 147 metres;
- (ix) the A1 northbound exit slip road at the A184 Consett Route Interchange from its junction with the A1 to its junction with the A184;
- (x) the A1 northbound entry slip road at the A184 Consett Route Interchange from its junction with the A184 to its junction with the A1;
- (xi) the A1 northbound entry slip road at Dunston Interchange from 45 metres northwest of its junction with Dunston Road to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 164 metres;
- (xii) the A1 northbound entry slip road at the Metrocentre Interchange from 25 metres northwest of its junction with Hollinside Road to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 210 metres;

Southbound:

- (xiii) the A1 southbound carriageway from a point 420 metres north of the nosing of the southbound exit slip road at the A694 Blaydon Interchange to a point 600 metres south of the nosing of the southbound entry slip road at Kingsway Interchange, a total distance of 9040 metres;
- (xiv) the A1 southbound exit slip road at the A694 Blaydon Interchange from its junction with the A1 southwards for a distance of 170 metres;
- (xv) the A1 southbound entry slip road at the A694 Blaydon Interchange from 91 metres north of its junction with the A1 to that junction;

- (xvi) the A1 southbound entry slip road at the B6317 Swalwell Interchange from 33 metres north of its junction with Hexham Road Roundabout to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 356 metres;
- (xvii) the A1 southbound entry slip road at the Metrocentre Interchange from 34 metres southeast of its junction with Hollinside Road to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 132 metres;
- (xviii) the A1 southbound entry slip road at Dunston Interchange from 34 metres southeast of its junction with Dunston Road to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 156 metres;
- (xix) the A1 southbound exit slip road at the A184 Consett Route Interchange from its junction with the A1 to its junction with the A184;
- (xx) the A1 southbound entry slip road at the A184 Consett Route Interchange from its junction with the A184 to its junction with the A1;
- (xxi) the A1 southbound entry slip road at the A692 Lobley Hill Interchange from 11 metres south of its junction with that interchange roundabout to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 119 metres;
- (xxii) the A1 southbound exit slip road at Kingsway Interchange from its junction with the A1 to 84 metres west of its junction with that interchange roundabout, a total distance of 149 metres;
- (xxiii) the A1 southbound entry slip road at Kingsway Interchange from 11 metres east of its junction with that interchange roundabout to its junction with the A1, a total distance of 218 metres.