### WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2013 No. (W. )

# ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

The A465 Trunk Road (Gurnos Lay-bys, Merthyr Tydfil) (Prohibition of U-Turns) Order 2013

Made 17 May 2013

Coming into force 23 May 2013

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A465 Neath to Abergavenny Trunk Road (hereinafter referred to as "the trunk road"), in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 1(1), 2(1) and 2(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) and after consultation with the Chief Officer of the South Wales Police, make this Order:-

#### **Title and Commencement**

1. This Order comes into force on 23 May 2013. The title to this Order is the A465 Trunk Road (Gurnos Lay-bys, Merthyr Tydfil) (Prohibition of U-Turns) Order 2013.

#### Restriction

2. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to make a U-Turn whilst proceeding in an eastbound or westbound direction on the trunk road at Gurnos, in the County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil, from a point 55 metres east from the midpoint of the Gurnos Road underbridge to a point 425 metres east from the midpoint of the Gurnos Road underbridge.

Signed under authority of the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport, one of the Welsh Ministers.

Dated 17 May 2013

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Head of Asset Management and Standards Welsh Government

(1) 1984 c.27; sections 1(1), 2(1) and (2) were amended by the New Roads and Street works Act 1991 (c.22). By virtue of S.I.1999/672, article 2 and Schedule 1, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006, these functions are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

## THE A465 TRUNK ROAD (GURNOS LAY-BYS, MERTHYR TYDFIL) (PROHIBITION OF U-TURNS) ORDER 2013

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Welsh Ministers have made an Order under sections 1(1), 2(1) and 2(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, which comes into force on 25 April 2013.

The effect of the Order is to prohibit all eastbound and westbound vehicles from making U-Turns from a point 55 metres east from the midpoint of the Gurnos Road underbridge to a point 425 metres east from the midpoint of the Gurnos Road underbridge on the A465 Neath to Abergavenny Trunk Road (hereinafter referred to as "the trunk road") at Gurnos Lay-bys in the County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil.

During a period of 6 weeks from 23 May 2013 a copy of the Order and associated plan may be inspected during normal office hours at the offices of Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council, Castle Street, Merthyr Tydfil CF47 8AN or may be obtained free of charge from the address below.

If any person desires to question the validity of the Order, or of any of the provisions contained therein, on the grounds:

- a. that it is not within the relevant powers of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984; or
- b. that any of the relevant requirements has not been complied with,

that person may, within 6 weeks of 23 May 2013, apply to the High Court for the suspension or quashing of the Order or of any provision contained therein.

A copy of the Order and Notice can be viewed on the Welsh Government's website at <a href="https://www.wales.gov.uk">www.wales.gov.uk</a> (Select: Legislation / Subordinate Legislation / Local Statutory Instruments / Permanent Traffic Orders / 2013).

A copy of this Notice in larger print can be obtained from Transport, Orders Branch, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff CF10 3NQ.

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