



ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1985

**BOROUGH OF DOUGLAS (ATHOL STREET)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2003**

Coming into Operation: 2nd February 2003

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Department of Transport by Section 3 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1985 (a) and of all other enabling powers, and after having complied with the procedure set out in Schedule 1 to the Act as required by Section 3 (1) and after having been satisfied that Section 1(8) of the Act does not apply, the following Order is hereby made :-

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Borough of Douglas (Athol Street) (Temporary Prohibition of Through Traffic) Order 2003 and shall come into operation from 8.00 a.m. on Sunday 2nd February 2003.

Closure of road to vehicular traffic

2. Subject to Article 3, no person shall except upon the direction or with the permission of a constable in uniform, cause any vehicle to proceed on that section of Athol Street from its junction with Prospect Hill to its junction with Church Street/Upper Church Street, in the Borough of Douglas.

Exemptions

3. Article 2 does not apply to a vehicle requiring access to premises or land adjacent to the road specified in Article 2 or to -

(1) a vehicle engaged in any of the following operations :

(a) works in land or premises adjacent to the road specified in Article 2;

(b) works in the road specified in Article 2 authorised by statutory provisions;
or

(c) in the service of a local authority or the Department of Transport in pursuance of any statutory functions in the road or in adjacent land or premises if it cannot conveniently be used for such purposes on any other road; or

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- (2) a vehicle being used in the course of duty for the police, fire brigade, ambulance or coastguard service; or
- (3) a vehicle for which the driver holds a permit issued by the Department of Transport for its use in the road, at a time or for a purpose specified in the permit; or
- (4) such vehicular traffic as may be authorised by the Department.

Duration

4. The Order shall continue in force until 6.00 p.m. on Sunday 2nd February 2003 or until the work undertaken by Manx Telecom is completed whichever is the earlier.

MADE 20th January

2003



Minister for Transport

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

The effect of this Order is to prohibit vehicular traffic from proceeding on a section of Athol Street in the Borough of Douglas whilst work is being undertaken by Manx Telecom.