THE FALKIRK COUNCIL (A801 AVON GORGE TORPHICHEN BRIDGE) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC) (NO.TTRO/1305) ORDER 2018

The Council has made the above named Order under section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit vehicles on A801 Avon Gorge Torphichen Bridge from 17.00 hours on 28/04/18 until 17.00 hours on 25/05/18. The prohibition is to allow emergency road carriageway works on the A801, north of Torphichen Bridge (Avon Gorge).

- 1. Full details may be inspected at Abbotsford House, Davids Loan, Falkirk Mon-Fri between 9.30am 4.30pm and <u>http://www.tellmescotland.gov.uk/</u> from 26/04/18 25/05/18.
- 2. This Order temporarily closes: A801, from its junction with C62 (Candie Lower) and A706 and B792 (Avon Gorge) between its junction with the A801 and A706.
- **3.** The alternative route is: A801 (part)/A706 (part), Westfield Roundabout (A801/B8047), B8047, B8028, B825, Bowhouse Roundabout (A801), A801 (part) and vice versa.

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Falkirk Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 14(1) and (4) as read with Section 2(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended) and of all other enabling powers, being satisfied that the traffic on the lengths of Road specified in the Schedule to this Order should be restricted or prohibited as hereinafter provided because works are being or are proposed to be executed on or near the said lengths, hereby make the following Order:-

Citation, commencement and cessation

(1) This Order may be cited as "The Falkirk Council (A801 Avon Gorge Torphichen Bridge) (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) (TTRO/1305) Order 2018" and shall come into force from 17.00 hours on 28/04/18 until 17.00 hours on 25/05/18 or until completion of the works, whichever is sooner.

Interpretation

(2) The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Temporary Prohibition on Use of a Road

(3) Subject to article 4, no person shall use, or permit the use of, any vehicle on the length of Road and during the period(s) specified in the schedule when a prohibition is identified as applying to a part or parts of that length of road by means of one or more of the traffic signs prescribed in the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

Exemption for Emergency and Works Vehicles

(4) Article 3 does not apply to a vehicle being used in an emergency for fire brigade, ambulance, police or coastguard purposes or a vehicle while being used for carrying out the works.

DATED THIS NINETEENTH DAY OF APRIL, TWO THOUSAND AND EIGHTEEN

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Schedule

Length of Road

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Time of closure:

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Alternative Route:

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Statement of Reasons for Making the Order

The temporary prohibition of traffic is to allow emergency road carriageway works on the A801, north of Torphichen Bridge (Avon Gorge), but will only have effect in relation to such part or parts of the lengths of road as defined and during the periods stated in the Schedule to this Order and indicated by the appropriate traffic signs.

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