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ROAD TRAFFIC, WALES

**The A483 Trunk Road
(Ammanford, Carmarthenshire)
(Various Waiting Restrictions)
Order 2011**

Made 20 October 2011

Coming into force 31 October 2011

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the A483 Swansea to Manchester 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), 4(2) and 124 of, and paragraph 27 of Schedule 9 to, the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1) (hereinafter referred to as “the 1984 Act”), and after consultation with the Chief Officer of the Dyfed-Powys Police, hereby make the following Order:-

1. This Order comes into force on 31 October 2011. The title to this Order is The A483 Trunk Road (Ammanford, Carmarthenshire) (Various Waiting Restrictions) Order 2011.

2. (1) In this Order –

“disabled person’s badge” (“bathodyn person anabl”) has the meaning given in Regulation 2 of the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (Wales) Regulations 2000(2);

“parking disc” (“disg barcio”) has the meaning given in Regulation 8(5) of the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (Wales) Regulations 2000(3).

(2) For the purposes of this Order a vehicle is regarded as displaying:-

(i) a disabled person’s badge in the relevant position if :-

(a) in the case of a vehicle fitted with a dashboard or fascia panel, the badge is exhibited thereon so that Part

1 of the badge is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle, or

(b) in the case of a vehicle not fitted with a dashboard or fascia panel, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position in or on the vehicle so that Part 1 of the badge is clearly legible from outside the vehicle; and

(ii) a parking disc in the relevant position if :-

(a) in the case of a vehicle fitted with a dashboard or fascia panel the disc is exhibited on it so that the quarter-hour period during which the period of waiting began is clearly legible from outside the vehicle; or

(b) in the case of a vehicle not fitted with a dashboard or fascia panel the disc is exhibited in a conspicuous position in or on the vehicle so that the quarter-hour period during which the period of waiting began is clearly legible from outside the vehicle.

(3) Any reference in this Order to a numbered Article or Schedule is a reference to the Article or Schedule bearing that number in this Order.

3. Save as provided in article 8(1)(a), (c), (d), (e), (f) and (g), no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable, police community support officer, traffic officer or civil enforcement officer, cause or permit any vehicle to wait, load or unload on the sides of the lengths of the trunk road specified in Schedule 1 to this Order.

4. Save as provided in article 8(1)(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g) and (2), no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable, police community support officer, traffic officer or civil enforcement officer, cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the side of the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 2 to this Order.

5. Save as provided in article 8(1)(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f) and (g), no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable, police community support officer, traffic officer or civil enforcement officer, cause or permit any vehicle, other than a taxi, to wait on the side of the length of the trunk road specified in Schedule 3 to this Order.

6. Save as provided in article 8(1)(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f) and (g), no person shall, except upon the

direction or with the permission of a police constable police community support officer, traffic officer or civil enforcement officer, cause or permit any vehicle to wait, other than to load or unload between 09.00 and 17.00 hours on any day other than a Sunday on the sides of the lengths of trunk road specified in Schedule 4.

7. Save as provided in article 8(1)(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g) and (3), no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable police community support officer, traffic officer or civil enforcement officer, cause or permit any vehicle, other than a vehicle displaying a disabled persons badge, to wait on the side of the length of trunk road specified in Schedule 5.

8. (1) Nothing in articles 4, 5, 6 and 7, and 3 with the exception of 8(1)(b), shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait in the lengths of the trunk road specified in the Schedules to this Order for so long as may be necessary to enable:-

- (a) a person to board or alight from a vehicle;
- (b) goods to be loaded on or unloaded from the vehicle;
- (c) the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in connection with any of the following operations, namely: -
 - i. building, industrial or demolition operations;
 - ii. the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - iii. the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said lengths of road; or
 - iv. the laying, erection, alteration, or repair in, or in land adjacent to, the said lengths of the trunk road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or any telegraphic line as defined in the Communications Act 2003(4);
- (d) the vehicle to be used in the service of a local authority or a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;