STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2012 No. 235

ROADS

The M2 Motorway at Whitla Street, Belfast (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012

Made - - - -	*7th June 2012*
Coming into operation -	*12th September 2012*

The Department for Regional Development(**a**) makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 68(1) and (5) of the Roads (Northern Ireland) Order 1993(**b**) and now vested in it(**c**).

The Department in accordance with Article 68(4) of that Order proposes to abandon the area of road described in the Schedule as it is not necessary.

Notice has been published, served and displayed in compliance with paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 8 to that Order.

Two objections were received and subsequently withdrawn.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as The M2 Motorway at Whitla Street, Belfast (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012 and shall come into operation on 12th September 2012.

Application

2. The area of road described in the Schedule is abandoned.

3.—(1) All existing cables, wires, mains, pipes or other apparatus placed along, across, over or under the abandoned area of road shall be retained.

(2) All existing rights as to the use or maintenance of such cables, wires, mains, pipes or other apparatus shall be preserved.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Regional Development on 7th June 2012

(L.S.)

D J Millar
A senior officer of the Department for Regional Development

(**a**) S.I. 1999/283 (N.I. 1) Article 3(1)
(**b**) S.I. 1993/3160 (N.I. 15)
(**c**) S.R. 1999 No. 481 Article 6(*d*) and Schedule 4 Part IV