

NOSC 2026 Rhif 172

TRAFFIG FFYRDD

Gorchymyn Traffordd yr M4
(Cyffordd 28 (Parc Tredegar) i
Gyffordd 26 (Malpas Road),
Casnewydd) (Gwaharddiad a
Chyfngiadau Traffig Dros Dro)
2026

Gwnaed 17 Medi 2026
Yn dod i rym 21 Medi 2026

Mae Gweinidogion Cymru, sef yr awdurdod traffig ar gyfer y darn perthnasol o Draffordd yr M4, wedi eu bodloni y dylid gwahardd traffig a chyfyngu arno ar ddarnau penodedig o'r Draffordd oherwydd gwaith y bwriedir ei wneud ar y ffordd neu gerllaw iddi.

Mae Gweinidogion Cymru, felly, drwy arfer y pwerau a roddir iddynt gan adran 14(1), (4) a (7) o Ddeddf Rheoleiddio Traffig Ffyrdd 1984(1), yn gwneud y Gorchymyn hwn.

Enwi a chychwyn

1. Enw'r Gorchymyn hwn yw Gorchymyn Traffordd yr M4 (Cyffordd 28 (Parc Tredegar) i Gyffordd 26 (Malpas Road), Casnewydd) (Gwaharddiad a Chyfngiadau Traffig Dros Dro) 2026 a daw'r Gorchymyn hwn i rym ar 21 Medi 2026.

Dehongli

2. Yn y Gorchymyn hwn—
ystyr “cerbyd esempt” (“*exempted vehicle*”) yw:

(1) 1984 p. 27; amnewidiwyd adran 14 gan adran 1(1) o Ddeddf Traffig Ffyrdd (Cyfyngiadau Dros Dro) 1991 (p. 26) ac Atodlen 1 iddi. Yn rhinwedd O.S. 1999/672, ac adran 162 o Ddeddf Llywodraeth Cymru 2006 (p. 32) a pharagraff 30 o Atodlen 11 iddi, mae'r pwerau hyn yn arferadwy bellach gan Weinidogion Cymru o ran Cymru.

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ROAD TRAFFIC

The M4 Motorway (Junction 28
(Tredegar Park) to Junction 26
(Malpas Road), Newport)
(Temporary Traffic Prohibition and
Restrictions) Order 2026

Made 17 September 2026
Coming into force 21 September 2026

The Welsh Ministers, as traffic authority for the relevant length of the M4 Motorway, are satisfied that traffic on specified lengths of the Motorway should be prohibited and restricted because of works proposed on or near the road.

The Welsh Ministers, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 14(1), (4) and (7) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(1), make this Order.

Title and commencement

1. The title of this Order is the M4 Motorway (Junction 28 (Tredegar Park) to Junction 26 (Malpas Road), Newport) (Temporary Traffic Prohibition and Restrictions) Order 2026 and this Order comes into force on 21 September 2026.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“exempted vehicle” (“*cerbyd esempt*”) means:

(1) 1984 c. 27; section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c. 26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1. By virtue of S.I. 1999/672, and section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006(c. 32), these powers are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers in relation to Wales.

- (a) unrhyw gerbyd sy'n cael ei ddefnyddio at y dibenion a ddisgrifir yn adran 87 o Ddeddf Rheoleiddio Traffig Ffyrdd 1984⁽¹⁾ neu mewn cysylltiad â'r gwaith sy'n arwain at y Gorchymyn hwn;
- (b) unrhyw gerbyd sy'n cael ei ddefnyddio at ddibenion y llynges, y fyddin neu'r llu awyr ac sy'n cael ei yrru gan berson sydd am y tro yn ddarostyngedig i orchmynion aelod o luoedd arfog y Goron, sy'n aelod o'r lluoedd arbennig—
 - (i) ac sydd wedi ei hyfforddi i yrru ar gyflymderau uchel ac sy'n gweithredu wrth ymateb, neu wrth ymarfer ymateb, i argyfwng diogelwch gwladol, neu
 - (ii) at ddiben hyfforddi person i yrru cerbydau ar gyflymderau uchel;

ystyr “cyfnod y gwaith” (“*works period*”) yw cyfnodau ysbeidiol sy'n dechrau am 20:00 o'r gloch ar 21 Medi 2026 ac sy'n dod i ben pan gaiff yr arwyddion traffig dros dro ar gyfer pob cyfnod gwaith eu symud ymaith;

ystyr “y draffordd” (“*the motorway*”) yw Traffordd yr M4 Llundain i Dde Cymru;

ystyr “lluoedd arbennig” (“*special forces*”) yw'r unedau hynny o'r lluoedd arfog y mae Cyfarwyddwr y Lluoedd Arbennig yn gyfrifol am gynnal eu galluedd neu sydd am y tro yn ddarostyngedig i reolaeth weithredol y Cyfarwyddwr hwnnw.

Gwaharddiad a chyfyngiadau

3. Ni chaiff neb, yn ystod cyfnod y gwaith, yrru unrhyw gerbyd modur, ac eithrio cerbyd esempt, ar y darnau o'r draffordd a bennir yn yr Atodlen i'r Gorchymyn hwn.

4. Ni chaiff neb, yn ystod cyfnod y gwaith, yrru unrhyw gerbyd modur, ac eithrio cerbyd esempt, yn gyflymach na 50 milltir yr awr ar y darnau o'r draffordd a bennir yn yr Atodlen i'r Gorchymyn hwn.

5. Ni chaiff neb, yn ystod cyfnod y gwaith, yrru unrhyw gerbyd modur, ac eithrio cerbyd esempt, yn gyflymach na 40 milltir yr awr ar y darnau o'r draffordd a bennir yn yr Atodlen i'r Gorchymyn hwn.

- (a) any vehicle being used for the purposes described in section 87 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984⁽¹⁾ or in connection with the works giving rise to this Order;
- (b) any vehicle being used for naval, military or air force purposes and being driven by a person for the time being subject to the orders of a member of the armed forces of the Crown, who is a member of the special forces—
 - (i) in response, or for practice in responding, to a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving at high speeds, or
 - (ii) for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds.

“special forces” (“*lluoedd arbennig*”) means those units of the armed forces the maintenance of whose capabilities is the responsibility of the Director of Special Forces or which are for the time being subject to the operational command of that Director;

“the motorway” (“*y draffordd*”) means the M4 London to South Wales Motorway;

“works period” (“*cyfnod y gwaith*”) means intermittent periods commencing at 20:00 hours on 21 September 2026 and ending when the temporary traffic signs for each period of works are removed.

Prohibition and restrictions

3. No person may, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, on the lengths of the motorway specified in the Schedule to this Order.

4. No person may, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the lengths of the motorway specified in the Schedule to this Order.

5. No person may, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the lengths of the motorway specified in the Schedule to this Order.

(1) Diwygiwyd adran 87 gan baragraff 55 o Atodlen 1 i Ddeddf y Gwasanaethau Tân ac Achub 2004 (p. 21), paragraff 42 o Atodlen 4 i Ddeddf Troseddu Cyfundrefnol Difrifol a'r Heddlu 2005 (p. 15), paragraff 29(2) o Atodlen 8 i Ddeddf Troseddu a'r Llysoedd 2013 (p. 22), ac adran 50(4) a (5) o Ddeddf Dadreoleiddio 2015 (p. 20).

(1) Section 87 was amended by the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004 (c. 21), Schedule 1, paragraph 55, the Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005 (c. 15), Schedule 4, paragraph 42, the Crime and Courts Act 2013 (c. 22), schedule 8, paragraph 29(2) and the Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), section 50(4) and (5).

6. Ni chaiff neb, yn ystod cyfnod y gwaith, yrru unrhyw gerbyd modur, ac eithrio cerbyd esempt, yn gyflymach na 30 milltir yr awr ar y darnau o'r draffordd a bennir yn yr Atodlen i'r Gorchymyn hwn.

Atal dros dro

7. Mae unrhyw ddarpariaethau statudol sy'n cyfyngu ar gyflymder cerbydau ar y darnau o'r draffordd a bennir yn yr Atodlen i'r Gorchymyn hwn wedi eu hatal dros dro ar yr adegau hynny pan fo'r cyfyngiadau a bennir yn erthyglau 4, 5 a 6 yn weithredol.

Cymhwyso

8.—(1) Ni fydd y cyfyngiadau a'r gwaharddiad yn erthyglau 3, 4, 5 a 6 yn gymwys ond ar yr adegau hynny ac i'r graddau hynny y bydd arwyddion traffig yn eu dangos.

(2) Nid yw unrhyw derfyn cyflymder a osodir gan y Gorchymyn hwn yn gymwys i gerbyd esempt.

Cyfnod para'r Gorchymyn hwn

9. Bydd y Gorchymyn hwn yn para am 18 mis ar y mwyaf.

Llofnodwyd ar ran y Dirprwy Weinidog dros Drafnidiaeth, yn gweithredu o dan awdurdod y Gweinidog Cabinet dros Fenter, Cysylltedd ac Ynni, un o Weinidogion Cymru

Dyddiedig 17 Medi 2026

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YR ATODLEN

Y darn o gerbyttffordd tua'r dwyrain traffordd yr M4 sy'n ymestyn o'r ffordd ymadael wrth Gyffordd 28 (Parc Tredegar) i'r ffordd ymuno wrth Gyffordd 26 (Malpas Road), Casnewydd, (gan gynnwys y ffordd ymuno tua'r dwyrain wrth Gyffordd 28 a Chyffordd 27).

6. No person may, during the works period, drive any motor vehicle, other than an exempted vehicle, at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour on the lengths of the motorway specified in the Schedule to this Order.

Suspension

7. Any statutory provisions restricting the speed of vehicles on the lengths of the motorway specified in the Schedule to this Order are suspended during such times as the restrictions specified in articles 4, 5 and 6 are in operation.

Application

8.—(1) The restrictions and prohibition in articles 3, 4, 5 and 6 apply only during such times and to such extent as indicated by traffic signs.

(2) No speed limit imposed by this Order applies to an exempted vehicle.

Duration of this Order

9. The maximum duration of this Order is 18 months.

Signed on behalf of the Deputy Minister for Transport, acting under the authority of the Cabinet Minister for Enterprise, Connectivity and Energy, one of the Welsh Ministers

Dated 17 September 2026

Nicci Hunter
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Welsh Government

SCHEDULE

The length of the eastbound carriageway of the M4 motorway that extends from the off-slip road at Junction 28 (Tredegar Park) to the on-slip road at Junction 26 (Malpas Road), Newport, (including the eastbound on slip roads at Junction 28 and Junction 27).