

**SANDWELL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - Section 14 2**

Temporary Prohibition of Downing Street, Smethwick

The Borough Council of Sandwell hereby gives Notice that on 7th August 2025 no person shall cause any vehicle to proceed along Downing Street, Smethwick which will be closed between the junctions of Bridge Street North and King Street (western side). Access to any affected frontages will be maintained, but only when safety permits.

A traffic diversion route will be signed via Bridge Street North, Rolfe Street, Rabone Lane, Cornwall Road and vice versa.

The purpose and reason for the issue of this Notice is to facilitate access for emergency electrical service repairs by Doocey Group on behalf of National Grid Electricity Distribution.

This Notice will remain effective and in force from the 7th August 2025 and for a period not exceeding 21 days. It is anticipated that the work will be completed by the 21st August 2025.

Any queries about the works taking place should be made to Patrick Gallagher of Doocey Group on 07395 602632.

Dated this 8th August 2025.

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