

Press Release

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A830 – Fort William to Mallaig Trunk Road Glenfinnan Rail Bridge – Essential Maintenance Work

Subsequent to a joint inspection of the above road over rail bridge near Glenfinnan, on 10th March 2011, Scotland Transerv, on behalf of Transport Scotland, have installed traffic lights and a temporary barrier to move traffic away from the elevation of the bridge. The inspection revealed severe deterioration of the concrete exasperated by the severe weather this winter.

Scotland TranServ is currently coordinating with specialist subcontractors, temporary emergency repair works to stabilise the bridge and will review these restrictions once these works are complete. When further information is available it will be circulated without delay.

Motorists should allow extra time for their journeys and pay attention to any advisory signs which will be in place throughout the works. For real time journey planning information visit www.trafficscotland.org