

Overnight Closure at Junction 8 (Hemel Hempstead)

M1

from 8pm on Saturday 15 March
until 2pm Sunday 16 March 2008

The M1 will be closed in both directions for 18 hours at Hemel Hempstead (Junction 8) to allow safe demolition of the existing bridge over the M1.

Very long delays are expected and road users are advised to seek alternative routes, use public transport or allow plenty of extra time for their journey.

The M1 will be fully closed:

- Southbound at Redbourn (Junction 9) - traffic will leave the M1 at junction 9 along a clearly signed diversion route, via Hemel Hempstead, the A41 and M25, to rejoin the M1 at junction 6.
- Northbound at Hemel Hempstead (Junction 8) - traffic will leave the M1 at junction 8 along a local, clearly signed diversion.

Drivers travelling north to Luton Airport should allow extra time.

The work is part of a major road widening scheme to improve safety and journey times on the M1.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause

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