Planning Act 2008
Application for a Development Consent Order for the proposed A38 Derby Junctions
Highways England

Dear Rob,

Submission made by Highways England pursuant to Deadline 1 of the
Examination of the A38 Derby Junctions Development Consent Order
Application

Please find below a list of documents which form Highways England’s submission for
Deadline 1 of the Examination of the A38 Derby Junctions scheme in accordance with
the confirmed Examination Timetable received in the Rule 8 letter dated 11 October
2019.

This submission comprises of the following documents:

- **Guide to the Application** (Document Reference 8.2)
- **Response to Relevant Representations** (Document Reference 8.3)
- **Responses to Examining Authority’s Questions on the Draft Development Consent Order** (Document Reference 8.4)
- **Responses to Examining Authority’s’ First Written Questions** (Document Reference 8.5)
- **Appendices to Support Responses to Examining Authority’s’ First Written Questions and Questions on the Draft Development Consent Order** (Document Reference 8.5.1)
- **A working Draft of a Statement of Common Ground with Derbyshire County Council** (Document reference 8.6)
The documents have been submitted in pdf format, where requested by the Examining Authority and also both a clean and tracked change version is supplied, where this has been requested.

In addition to the above-mentioned documentation, an update is provided below on the other documentation that formed part of the request from the Examining Authority for Deadline 1.

**Statements of Common Ground**

The following Statements of Common Ground are not in a suitably advanced form to be submitted as a draft version, because substantive agreement has not yet been reached, or the document is still subject to review by one of the parties involved.

Royal School for the Deaf
The following Statements of Common Ground have been produced in draft form by Highways England, but comments are awaited from the other party.

Network Rail
McDonalds
Haven Care Group Ltd (Cherry Lodge Children’s Residential Care Home)
City Fibre
CTiL
MBNL
National Grid (Gas) Cadent Ltd
Openreach
Severn Trent Water Ltd

Highways England have also produced a draft SOCG with Derby City Council, which is at an advanced stage, but is subject to review and comment by both parties.

Highways England hope to be in a position to submit a draft version for Deadline 3.

In addition, Highways England can advise that Western Power Distribution Ltd (as a Statutory Undertaker) have declined to enter into the production of a Statement of Common Ground in respect of this application.

Finally, Highways England can confirm that they are currently in discussions with a number of other parties in relation to the production of a Statements of Common Ground, which do not form part of the formal request by the Examining Authority for Deadline 1. As such, these comprise:

Sustrans and Derby Cycling Group
Breadsall Parish Council

A draft Statement of Common Ground has been agreed with Little Eaton Parish Council and is included in this submission. Highways England anticipate that the others listed above will be available for Deadline 3.

Other Documentation

In respect of the request for an updated Book of Reference and Statement of Reasons, Highways England can confirm that there are no substantive changes to either document to report at this stage and as such, updated documents are not being provided. Any updates to both documents will be separately recorded during the examination period and updated versions of these documents will be included in the submission for Deadline 6.

To assist the Examining Authority, a schedule is enclosed as part of this submission, which details the changes to the Book of Reference from the version (v2 dated July
2019) submitted to the Planning Inspectorate following advice under Section 51 of the Planning Act 2008.

Future submissions

The Examining Authority will note that some of the response to the first written questions refer to documentation that will be provided for future deadlines. These are referred to below.

Q 1.4 – Update works plans – amendment to the annotation of Work No 26d will be provided for Deadline 2.

Q 9.8 - Verified visual montages – This work is currently being prepared and will be provided for Deadline 2.

Q 9.9 – Photographs within Figure 7.5 – Further photographs to be taken are affected by seasonal conditions and therefore will be provided for Deadline 2.

Q9.14 – Kingsway Junction northern dumbbell – A cross sectional drawing will be provided for Deadline 2.

Q9.19 – Figure 7.1A Viewpoint 10 – An updated figure will be provided for Deadline 2.

Q9.32 – Landscape Character Areas - submission of updated tables will be provided for Deadline 2.

Guide to the Application

Highways England have produced a new document for Deadline 1 referred to as the ‘Guide to the Application.’ This document has been produced to manage the document control process during the examination period. It covers documentation that has been updated since the original DCO submission was made and also identifies any new documents provided, along with tracking any subsequent revision to those documents.

The Guide to the Application is a live document and will be updated throughout the examination period and included within each subsequent deadline.

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