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# Introduction

## Purpose of the report

This report provides Highways England's response to the Examining Authority's first Written Questions and requests for information (ExQ1) issued on 11 April 2019. A total of 629 written questions and requests for information were issued as set out below.

- Ten on General and cross-topic questions;
- 37 questions on Agriculture;
- 33 questions on Air quality and emissions;
- 33 questions on Alternatives;
- 64 questions on Cultural Heritage;
- Three questions on Design;
- 24 questions on Biodiversity, ecology and biodiversity (including Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA));
- Seven questions on Climate Change;
- 50 questions on Compulsory Acquisition Temporary Possession and Other Land or Rights Considerations;
- 110 Seven questions on Draft Development Consent Order;
- 42 questions on Flood risk, groundwater protection, geology and contamination;
- 24 questions on Health and Wellbeing;
- 38 questions on Landscape and visual;
- 52 questions on Noise and vibration;
- 37 questions on Socio-economic Effects;
- 46 questions on Traffic and transport; and
- 19 questions on Waste and Materials Management

Whilst some of the above written questions were not directly addressed to the applicant a response has been provided where appropriate and helpful to do so. Those questions not responded to are not contained in the chapters. The written questions submission contains 17 individual report chapters and follows the same question number format as provided by the Examining Authority.

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