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To:
A303 Stoneheng

**Subject:** Redetermination of A303 Stonehenge scheme

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## To Whom it May Concern:

We are most concerned about the proposed new carriage way destroy our heritage at Stonehenge.

Question we'd like addressed include:

- Have you taken into account the 2021 World Heritage Committee's decision into account?
- Can you appreciate the scheme is **significantly adverse** to world heritage;
- Have you fully assessed alternative routes less damaging to the World Heritage Site? For example, a southern bypass route would be cheaper even if there might be some problems with it, while a longer tunnel would reduce impact on the World Heritage Site;
- Have you explored alternatives to hard engineering solutions in the context of safeguarding and enhancing the World Heritage Site? For example, a package of measures to reduce road traffic, road emissions and improve access to the South West;
- Have you updated the scheme construction costs?
- Have you updated the carbon assessment and costs?
- Have you recognised the concern that climate change has increased with the
  latest Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change report and the need to take
  urgent action to reduce emissions, not increase them as any new Stonehenge
  road scheme would? and
- Have you noted that the Environment Act 2021 sets new ambitions around nature recovery?

Thank you for considering our concerns. We would hate to see this fantastic heritage destroyed for future generations and your proposals do not alleviate our concerns.

We acknowledge we are not registered as "Interest Parties" nevertheless we would like our concerns to be forwarded to the Secretary of State.

Many thanks for taking the time to acknowledge our concerns.

Kind regards,

**Dubhglas and Eileen Taylor**