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Sent to: M25junction28@planninginspectorate.gov.uk

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Our Reference: 20/00583/M25
Your reference: TR010029

Dear Ms Allen

**Planning Act 2008 (as amended) – Section 55
Application by Highways England for an Order Granting Development Consent for
the M25 junction 28 improvements
Adequacy of consultation request**

Thank you for your letter of 29 May 2020 concerning the above proposal.

I have considered whether the applicant has complied with the three specified duties in the Planning Act 2008, listed in your letter.

Planning Act 2008 S.42: Duty to consult

I confirm that Brentwood Borough Council has been involved in a stream of pre application consultations and events led by Highways England and other members of the applicant team. I note the full and comprehensive nature of the evidence provided in section 5 of the submitted 'Consultation Report'. I consider the applicant has discharged the requirements of S.42.

Planning Act 2008 S.47: Duty to consult the local community

I note the full and comprehensive nature of consultations described in section 7 'Consultation with Local Communities'. I consider the applicant has discharged the requirements of S.47.

Planning Act 2008 S.48: Duty to publicise

I note the full and comprehensive nature of publicity described in section 7.7 'Publicising the Consultation'. I consider the applicant has discharged the requirements of S.48.

Yours sincerely

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