

Highways England
M25 J28 Scheme
Bridge House
1 Walnut Tree Close
Guildford
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8 October 2020

Dear Mr Allen

M25 junction 28 improvement scheme
Development Consent Order application reference: TR010029

Additional Section 56 notices

I am writing to update you on Highways England's notification of the accepted application for the M25 junction 28 improvement scheme (the **Scheme**) under Section 56 of the Planning Act 2008. As the Examining Authority will be aware, Highways England gave notice of the accepted application to the required persons and organisations identified in accordance with Section 56 in late July 2020. That notice provided that parties may make relevant representations on the Scheme between 1 August 2020 and 9 September 2020.

Highways England has now served further Section 56 notices on five telecommunications companies and a person with an interest in land affected by the Scheme, as set out below, inviting them to make relevant representations on the application by **11.59pm on Friday 30 October 2020**. These parties were asked to submit any relevant representations to the Planning Inspectorate at the following link:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] We enclose a copy of the Section 56 notice that has been served.

Telecommunications companies

Following the close of the relevant representation period it came to our attention that a number of telecommunications companies now enjoy an interest in apparatus (ducts and associated cables) which lies within plot numbers 1/1, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/10, 1/29, 1/32, 1/38 and 2/1.

These telecommunications companies are:

- Telia Company AB

- Telia Carrier UK Limited
- Telent Technology Services Limited
- GTT Communications Holdings Limited
- Instalcom Limited

In order to enable these companies to make a relevant representation on the Scheme if they should wish to do so, the companies were served a Section 56 notice on Wednesday 30 September 2020 inviting them to make a relevant representation. The relevant representation period runs from Saturday 3 October 2020 until **11.59pm on Friday 30 October 2020**.

Highways England is preparing an updated version of the Book of Reference including these companies and will submit this to the Examining Authority in due course.

Returned Notice

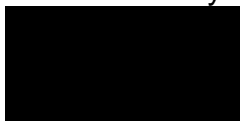
In addition, the original Section 56 notice served on an individual with an interest in land affected by the Scheme was returned to us as undelivered on 30 September 2020. We have been provided with details of an agent acting on behalf of this individual and so re-served the individual, care of their agent, with a Section 56 notice on Thursday 1 September 2020 inviting them to make a relevant representation. The relevant representation period runs from Saturday 3 October 2020 until 11.59pm on Friday 30 October 2020.

Updated certificates of compliance

In view of the foregoing, Highways England, in due course, will provide certificates of compliance to address the additional service of section 56 notices to the five telecommunications companies and the returned land owner notice referred to above. In addition we will also correct the list of parties notified appended to the Section 56 certificate of compliance previously submitted, which omitted 18 parties who were originally served with Section 56 notices but were erroneously omitted from that list.

Please let me know if you have any queries arising from the above.

Yours sincerely



Anita Waterton, M25 junction 28 Project Manager