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I attach a response to the Examining Authority's Further Written Questions and requests for information (WQ2). I would be grateful if receipt could be acknowledged.

Best wishes

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**Application by Highways England for the M25 Junction 28 Project
The Examining Authority's Further Written Questions and requests for information (WQ2) Issued on Thursday 25 March 2021**

The following table sets out the Examining Authority's (ExA) further written questions and requests for information – WQ2 – directed to Brentwood Borough Council. Responses to those questions are set out **in blue text** in the table below.

DCO	Draft Development Consent Order (dDCO)	
DCO 2.2	<i>Schedule 2 – Requirement 11</i> London Borough of Havering Brentwood Borough Council Essex County Council	Comment on the wording in the draft DCO submitted at Deadline 4 [REP4-002] where new Requirement 11 has been inserted in respect to the AMS. No adverse comment.
DCO 2.3	<i>Schedule 2 – Requirement 18</i> London Borough of Havering Brentwood Borough Council Essex County Council Transport for London	Comment on the wording in the draft DCO submitted at Deadline 4 [REP4-002] in respect to consultation responses being advanced to the SoS before any Requirement is discharged. No adverse comment.
LV	Landscape and visual	
LV 2.8	<i>Outline Arboricultural Method Statement</i> London Borough of Havering Natural England Brentwood Borough Council Essex County Council	In its response to Action Points 12, 13 and 14 [REP4-021] from ISH1 [EV-009], the Applicant stated that an update to the outline AMS will be submitted at Deadline 5, Tuesday 13 April 2021. The ExA expects the updated document to address some of the identified inadequacies in respect to identification of lost Tree Preservation Order (TPO) trees and protection measures of ancient and mature woodlands, TPO trees and veteran trees. Provide a response on the adequacy of this document at Deadline 6, Tuesday 27 April 2021 . We cannot comment on this until the further information is submitted at Deadline 5, Tuesday 13 April 2021, but will do so following receipt of this information.
TA 2.4	<i>Outline Traffic Management Plan</i> The Applicant Interested Parties	An outline TMP was submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 4 [REP4-013]. The ExA notes that the outline TMP does not appear to address the impact of temporary closures to the A12 eastbound off slip to junction 28 and any associated diversions during construction work. For the Applicant: i) Confirm that temporary closures are no longer considered necessary for this section of road. If this

		<p>is not the case indicate where the diversion caused by such a closure is described in the outline TMP.</p> <p>For Interested Parties: ii) Comment on the outline TMP.</p> <p>It appears that the closures to the M25 clockwise off slip at J28 are to allow the gantry works (Work 9) to be undertaken. Confirmation would be welcome.</p>
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It is noted that the description of works given in the DCO Schedule 1 Authorised Development retains the bland and uninformative descriptions of 'improvements' which at the hearing was agreed to be altered to provide greater clarity. Brentwood asks that this clarification is given with regard to all works within its borough, i.e. works 1, 3, 7 and 12.

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