

Transboundary screening for the purposes of Regulation 32 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (the 2017 EIA Regulations)

Project name:	M25 Junction 10/A3 Wisley Interchange
Address/Location:	Junction 10 of the M25, near Ockham, Surrey
Planning Inspectorate Ref:	TR010030

FIRST TRANSBOUNDARY SCREENING	
Document(s) used for	Regional Investment Programme M25 Junction 10/A3 Wisley
transboundary	Interchange Environmental Scoping Report (December 2017)
Screening:	('the Scoping Report')

The Planning Inspectorate (the Inspectorate) on behalf of the Secretary of State has considered the Proposed Development which comprises a replacement elongated junction at the M25/A3 interchange and widening of the A3 between Ockham and Painshil, and is the subject of this transboundary screening decision. The Inspectorate has taken into account information contained in the Applicant's Scoping Report titled the '*Regional Investment Programme M25 Junction 10/A3 Wisley Interchange Environmental Scoping Report*' dated 6 December 2017 and has had regard to the location of the Proposed Development, its characteristics and the environmental importance of the receiving environment.

The Inspectorate concludes that the Proposed Development *is unlikely to have a significant effect either alone or cumulatively on the environment in another European Economic Area State.* In reaching this conclusion the Inspectorate has identified and considered the Proposed Development's likely impacts including consideration of potential pathways and the extent, magnitude, probability, duration, frequency and reversibility of the impacts.

The Inspectorate considers that the likelihood of transboundary effects resulting from the Proposed Development is so low that it does not warrant the issue of a detailed transboundary screening. However, this position will remain under review and will have regard to any new or materially different information coming to light which may alter that decision.

**Action:** No further action required at this stage.

**Date:** 11/04/2018

**Note:** The SoS' duty under Regulation 32 of the 2017 EIA Regulations continues throughout the application process.