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Subject: Response to: TR010036 letter from Sec of State 5/11/19 Re PA A303 Sparkford to Ilchester
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RESPONSE:

1. Temporary Possession(TP) and Compulsory Acquisition (CA)).

I support the CA of land on Traits Lane for a turning head. This meets need and is low impact on the local environment.

2. Effects of De-Trunking the Road on the local community.

It is essential that Highways England mitigate against the effects of congestion on the A303 at Sparkford during construction. Blackwell Lane is a single track lane which runs parallel with the A303 and can become a dangerous Rat Run at busy times. Traffic comes from the west and east off the A303 causing Traffic to meet head on with long delays and frequent collisions. Increase in delays during construction on the A303 will cause risk to life, flora and fauna and to egress and access to property . There are no pavements along this single track lane and our children have to walk along it when coming home from school. Horse riders, walkers and residents use the lane and the risk becomes increasingly severe as the A303 becomes congested at Sparkford round a bout. During construction this will become an untenable situation if not mitigated against.

Regards,
Roy Lawrenson
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