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Dear Ms Guest

**A47 North Tuddenham to Easton Dualling scheme – Statutory Consultation
Extension of the Public Consultation 26 February 2020 to 30 April 2020
The Planning Act 2008 section 46**

Further to my letter dated 21 February 2020, I am now writing to notify the Secretary of State pursuant to section 46 of the Planning Act 2008.

Highways England is extending the period for receipt of responses to the consultation on the above project. The current deadline for responses was 8 April 2020. The deadline for responses to consultation is now 23:59 on 30 April 2020. The extension is in response to the unprecedented situation that has arisen because of the coronavirus pandemic. We recognise that some consultees and others may be facing difficulties in making a timely response.

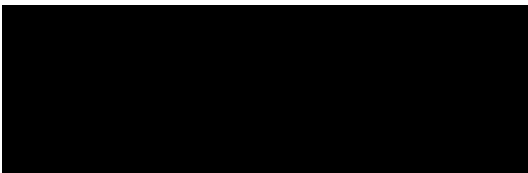
I am therefore now writing to provide formal notification of the extension of the consultation period to 30 April 2020.

Please find attached a copy of the letter we are sending to consultees advising them of the extension to the consultation.

Should you require any further information or wish to discuss this matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me on [REDACTED].

I would be grateful if you could acknowledge safe receipt.

Yours Sincerely



James Powis, Project Manager