

# TR010060 – A12 Chelmsford to A120 widening scheme

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Unique reference nos.: A12C-AFP653 and A12C-AFP654 Columbyne Cottage, Kelvedon Road, Inworth. CO5 9SH Title number EX525948

**A postscript to our presentation to the ExA at CAH2 on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023 and supplemental to our previous submissions.**

We would like to reiterate our appreciation of the time and attention given by the Examining Authority to our case and the opportunities afforded to us to speak at the various hearings.

Unfortunately we were not reassured by, or satisfied with, the response of the Applicant's representatives to our request for adequate mitigation measures to protect our home from the devastating effects of the scheme.

The refusal to relocate the haul road means that we shall be subjected to constant noise and visual intrusion.

The location of the lay-down area immediately opposite our cottage will mean visual intrusion, noise and disruption.

We remain extremely concerned and anxious about the effects of the scheme on our quality of life and our physical and mental health.

With regard to our point about incurring fees should we feel compelled to apply for Discretionary Purchase and your question on this to the Applicant at Compulsory Acquisition Hearing (CAH2), we have had the following unsympathetic response from the Applicant's Senior Property Advisor, showing no recognition of our unique and very disadvantaged situation:

*"I know that there was a query concerning fees at last week's CA hearing. This is covered in the attached application form information the extract I have copied below for your convenience."*

We ask again that the Examining Authority requires the Applicant to mitigate as much as possible the effects of the works during and after completion of the scheme and also to reconsider concessions with regard to the procedures governing Discretionary Purchase should the need arise.

Thank you once again for giving us the opportunity to raise our concerns.