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Dear Mr Singleton,

I would like add to and flesh out my initial representation.

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I OBJECT to this plan

1 The stategic case for an interchange has not been made.

There is significant under utilisation of the other interchanges in the region

- 2 IFa case for a rail interchange is made,the proposal is in the wrong place. Green belt,overstretched motorway and other access,pollution, and especially more suitable brown field sites with high unemployment,potenially better motorway connection,willing local authorities, and underused facilities.
- 3 If this site is to be considered, it should be for the rail interchange only warehousing to serve the interchange ONLY.
- $4\ There\ is\ NO\ justification\ for\ the\ extra\ 80\%\ of\ commercial\ warehousing\ proposed. (again\ greenbelt/traffic/pollution/employment\ need\ etc)$

Dr Richard Taylor