



The Planning Inspectorate

Hinckley National Rail Freight Interchange Project Issue Specific Hearing 6 - Traffic & Transport, and Noise

Date: **Wednesday 24 January 2024**

Registration and seating available from: **9.00am**

Arrangements Conference (online): **9.15am**

Meeting start time: **10.00am**

Venue: **Blended event at Sketchley Grange Hotel Sketchley Lane, Sketchley Old Village, Hinckley, Leicestershire LE10 3HU and by virtual means using Microsoft Teams**

Full instructions on how to join online or by phone will be provided in advance to those who have pre-registered.

Attendees: **The Applicant and Interested Parties who have pre-registered**

Agenda for the Issue Specific Hearing 2

1	Welcome and Introductions
2	Purpose of the Issue Specific Hearing
3	Road Highway network <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Furnessingb. Padge Hall Farm & A5/ A47 Junctionsc. M69 Junction 1d. M69 Junction 2e. M1 Junction 21/ M69 junction 3f. Narborough Level Crossing (road and NMUs)g. Sapcoteh. A5/ A426 Gibbet Hill Junction

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Cross-in-Hands Roundabout j. HGV Routing and Enforcement k. Road Safety Audits l. Traffic Modelling
4	Rail Connectivity including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Rail approvals b. Passenger services c. Narborough Level Crossing (rail)
5	Sustainable transport connections: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Active travel b. Cycling c. Bus connections d. Car sharing
6	Noise: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Baseline Noise Conditions b. Construction Noise c. Acoustic Absorption d. Noise Sources from the Proposed Development e. Baseline and Off-site Rail Movements f. Uncertainty g. Rating Penalties
7	Concluding remarks
8	Next Steps and Action List
9	Closing
Close of the Issue Specific Hearing 6	

As noted in our Notice of Hearing we would like, specifically, to invite the following interested parties:

- The Applicant
- National Highways
- Leicester County Council
- Warwickshire County Council
- Network Rail (the ExA requests attendance by personnel able to answer questions about operational matters associated with the Proposed Development)
- Blaby District Council
- Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council

- Dr David Moore
- Mr William Moore

The ExA would be grateful if the Applicant could particularly arrange for the following documents to be able to be displayed:

- Plan of Padge Hall Farm development and associated highway works
- HGV Route Management Plan and Strategy
- The Applicant's response to deadline 3 submissions [Appendix B - Transport 2023 Update]
- Rail Report from Network Rail
- The Applicant's D4 statement in its response to Action Groups