

## Meeting note

Project name	A38 Derby Junctions
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Author	The Planning Inspectorate
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Meeting with	Highways England
Venue	Teleconference
Meeting	A38 Project Update Meeting
objectives	
Circulation	All attendees

## Summary of key points discussed and advice given

The Planning Inspectorate (the Inspectorate) advised that a note of the meeting would be taken and published on its website in accordance with section 51 of the Planning Act 2008 (the PA2008). Any advice given under section 51 would not constitute legal advice upon which applicants (or others) could rely.

## Inspectorate comments on Draft documents- follow-up points:

Highways England (HE) noted the request in the comments on Draft Documents for a tracked copy of a Development Consent Order (DCO) against the Model Provisions Order; the Inspectorate confirmed that this was outdated text, and such a tracked DCO is no longer necessary.

HE asked about the need for a hedgerows schedule in the DCO, noting that there were no protected hedgerows. The Inspectorate confirmed that such a schedule was not required but could be helpful as part of an application.

HE discussed the provisions for an anticipated submission date later in Spring 2019 and confirmed they were completing work on the shapefile and a pre-application checklist. HE confirmed that they had completed a draft of an Electronic Index for their application and would provide a draft to the Inspectorate in advance of submission.

The Inspectorate explained that they were now trialling electronic-only submissions; however, the existing provisions surrounding potential requests for hard copies would continue to apply. The Inspectorate confirmed any timescales for requests for hard copy documents would be reasonable.