



Application for Development Consent for Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects under the Planning Act 2008

* required information

Application Form

Please read guidance documents relating to the submission of applications prior to completing this form including [government guidance](#) and the Planning Inspectorate's [Advice Note Six: Preparation and submission of application documents](#).

* Do you have a reference number?

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Reference number

1. Applicant

* Organisation

Address

* Building number or name

* Street

* City or town

County or administrative area

* Postcode

* Country

* Name of contact

* Telephone number

Fax number

* Email

2. Agent

* Are you an agent acting on behalf of the Applicant?

☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Fee

* State the arrangement for the application fee payment:

☒ BACS ☐ CHAPS ☐ Cheque

* Please provide payment reference details

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4. Confirming why the Planning Inspectorate should receive the application



* Brief statement to explain why this application is, or is to be treated as, a development for which development consent is required under the Planning Act 2008

The Scheme is a nationally significant infrastructure project ("NSIP") within sections 14(1)(h) and 22(1) of the Planning Act 2008. Under section 22 an NSIP must fall within one of the three categories specified, which are expressly stated to be alternatives. This Scheme is the "construction" of a highway within the meaning of section 22 (1)(a). While the Scheme includes some elements of alteration and improvement of the existing highway network, the new mainline link road will have a speed limit of 70mph. The total area of land within Order Limits is 255.6ha with 152.7ha of land proposed for the new permanent works (of which 58.43 is owned by Highways England). The Scheme is wholly located in England and Highways England, a strategic highways company, will be the highway authority for the majority of the Scheme being constructed. Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council will be the highway authority for the local road network. The Scheme therefore complies with the requirements of sections 22(2) and 22(4).

5. Non-technical description of the Proposed Development



* Brief non-technical description of the Proposed Development

The proposed Scheme seeks to provide comprehensive upgrades to traffic capacity of the M42 at Junction 6. The Scheme includes the construction of a new grade separate junction on the M42 and a dual carriageway link road which shall connect to the A45 Coventry Road and the construction of two free flow links at Junction 6.

6. Location or route of the Proposed Development



* Description of location of application site(s), or route of development (reference to appropriate plans)

The development will comprise the creation of a new junction (Junction 5A) and a new 2.4 km-long dual carriageway link road to the west of Bickenhill connecting to an upgrade of Clock Interchange, which shall necessitate the realignment of the existing Catherine-de-Barnes Lane. At M42 Junction 6, improvements shall be undertaken in the form of free flow links around the north west and north east quadrants of the junction to increase capacity. The location of the application site is shown on the Location Plan (Document Reference TR010027/APP/2.1).

* Is the site a single site or a linear site?

☐ Single site

☒ Linear site

Start grid reference

* Easting

418066

* Northing

278945

Middle grid reference

* Easting

419817

* Northing

283056

End grid reference

* Easting

419721

* Northing

285926

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/2.1 - Location Plan

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7. Associated Development



* Associated Development is included within this application:

☒ Yes

☐ No

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/3.2 -Explanatory
Memorandum

Add another reference

8. a) Consultation Report



* Document reference

TR010027/APP/5.1

Add another reference

8. b) Copies of newspaper notices



* Document reference

TR010027/APP/5.2 - Annex L

Add another reference

9. Draft Development Consent Order



* Document reference

TR010027/APP/3.1

Add another reference

10. Explanatory Memorandum



* Document reference

TR010027/APP/3.2

Add another reference

11. Land Plan



* Document reference

TR010027/APP/2.2

Add another reference

12. Works Plan



* Document reference

TR010027/APP/2.3

Add another reference

13. Compulsory Acquisition of land or an interest in land or right over land



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* Issues are relevant for this application:

☒ Yes

☐ No

Statement of reasons
document reference

TR010027/APP/4.1

Add another reference

Funding statement
document reference

TR010027/APP/4.2

Add another reference

Book of Reference
document reference

TR010027/APP/4.3

Add another reference

14. a) Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)



* Environmental Statement (ES) required:

☒ Yes

☐ No

* ES Document Reference

TR010027/APP/6.1 - Environmental
Statement

* ES Document Reference

TR010027/APP/6.2 - Environmental
Statement Figures

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* ES Document Reference

TR010027/APP/6.3 - Environmental
Statement Appendices

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* ES Document Reference

TR010027/APP/6.4 - Environmental
Statement Non Technical Summary

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* ES Document Reference

TR010027/APP/6.11 - Outline
Environmental Management Plan (OEMP)

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14. b) Screening Opinion/ Direction and Scoping Opinion/Direction



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* Screening Opinion sought, or direction received:

☐ Yes ☒ No

* Scoping Opinion sought:

☒ Yes ☐ No

Document reference

14. c) Publicity required under Regulation 13 of the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (or where the transitional provisions apply, Regulation 11 of the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009)



In addition to publishing the notice, a copy of the notice was sent to:

* the consultation bodies

☒ * Yes

* the persons notified to the Applicant in accordance with Regulation 11(1)(c) of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (or where the transitional provisions apply, Regulation 9(1)(c) of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009):

☒ Yes ☐ No, not applicable

15. European sites (to which Regulation 63 of The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 and/ or Regulation 28 of the Conservation of Offshore Marine Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 applies) or a Ramsar site



* Report required for this application:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

16. A plan, with accompanying information, identifying any statutory or non statutory sites or features of nature conservation, geological or landscape importance; habitats of protected species, important habitats or other diversity features; and water bodies in a River Basin Management Plan - together with an assessment of any effects likely to be caused by the Proposed Development.



* Issues are relevant for this application:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

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TR010027/APP/6.3 - Figure 9.1b (in Appendix 9.1) Non Statutory Sites

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* Document reference

TR010027/APP/6.2 - Figure 14.1 (Water Bodies)

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17. A plan, with accompanying information, identifying any statutory or non statutory sites or features of the historic environment such as scheduled monuments, World Heritage sites, listed buildings and other historic structures, archaeological sites and registered battlefields, together with an assessment of any effects likely to be caused by the Proposed Development



* Issues are relevant for this application:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/6.2- Figure 7.1 (location of designated heritage assets)

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/6.2- Figure 7.2 (location of non-designated heritage assets)

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18. Flood Risk Assessment



* Flood Risk Assessment required:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/6.10

Add another reference

19. Matters set out in section 79(1) (statutory nuisances etc) of the Environmental Protection Act 1990



* Statement required for this application:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/6.9

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20. A plan with any accompanying information identifying any Crown land



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* Issues are relevant for this application:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

21. A plan identifying new or altered means of access, stopping up of streets or any diversions, extinguishments or creation or rights of way or public rights of navigation



* Issues are relevant for this application:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Document reference

22. Additional information for specific types of infrastructure



* Additional information is required to be submitted in accordance with Regulation 6 of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Provide a brief description

The proposed Scheme is Highway-related development and therefore falls within the requirements of Regulation 6 (2) of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009.

* Document reference

Regulation 6 of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedures) Regulations 2009 requires additional information to be submitted with the following types of development.

* Please check any of the following boxes that apply:

- ☐ Construction or extension of a non offshore generating station (Reg. 6 (1a))
- ☐ Construction or extension of an offshore generating station (Reg. 6 (1b))
- ☒ Highway related development (Reg. 6 (2) (part 1))
- ☐ Construction or alteration of a railway (Reg. 6 (2) (part 2))
- ☐ Construction or alteration of harbour facilities (Reg. 6 (3))
- ☐ Construction of a pipeline (Reg. 6 (4))
- ☐ Construction or alteration of a hazardous waste facility (Reg. 6 (5))
- ☐ Construction of a dam or reservoir (Reg. 6 (6))

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Highway related development (Reg. 6 (2) (part 1))

Ensure section drawings have been included as part of this application, with suitable horizontal and vertical scales, which show the levels, proposed works including in particular and where relevant by reference to Ordnance Survey or Chart datum

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/2.8

Add another reference

Provide the levels of the proposed works, in particular and where relevant:

* Ground levels

See Document Reference TR010027/APP/2.8 Engineering Drawings and Sections.

* The height of every proposed bridge, viaduct, aqueduct, embankment and elevated guide way

See Document Reference TR010027/APP/2.8 Engineering Drawings and Sections.

* The depth of every proposed cutting and tunnel

See Document Reference TR010027/APP/2.8 Engineering Drawings and Sections.

* The levels of the bed of any tidal waters or inland waterway in which it is proposed that any works should be situated

N/A

* The height of every structure or device intended to be erected above, on or below the surface of, or on or beneath the bed of tidal waters or inland waterway

N/A

* Drainage outfall details for highways

See Document Reference TR010027/APP/2.8 Engineering Drawings and Sections.
See Document Reference TR010027/APP/2.4 General Arrangement Plans.

Provide a cross section of every intended tunnel and any altered gradient of a carriageway or a way forming part of a guided transport system on either side of every level crossing, bridge tunnel or underpass which would carry the carriageway or way or through which it would pass

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* Document reference

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23. Any other plans, drawings and sections necessary to describe the proposal for which development consent is sought, and any other documents, reports or information to support the application



Provide a brief description of any other plans, drawings and sections that are being submitted with this application

Traffic Regulation Measures Plans (TR010027/APP/2.6) and Classification of Road Plans (TR010027/APP/2.7).

Document reference

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Provide a brief description of any other documents considered necessary to support the application

- Introduction to the Application (1.1)
- Covering Letter and Schedule of Compliance with Section 55 (1.2)
- Consents and Agreements Position Statement (3.3)
- Planning Statement and National Policy Statement Accordance Table (7.1)
- Transport Assessment Report (7.2)

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Provide a brief description of any other information provided that is in support of the application, but which has not been explicitly required

Document reference

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24. Other consents/ licences required under other legislation



* Other consents/ licences are required:

☒ Yes ☐ No

* Provide a list of consents/licences

As set out in the Consents and Agreements Position Statement [TR010027/APP/3.3], the following permits, consents and agreements may need to be sought separately from the DCO:

- a. Land Drainage Byelaw consent for works in, under or over, any relevant watercourses;
- b. Trade effluent consent (e.g. for welfare facilities) (Water Industry Act 1991);
- c. Mobile plant licences for crushing operations or site permits if not using a subcontractor with their own mobile licences [Pollution Prevention and Control Act 1999, Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016];
- d. Exemptions for operations such as U1 (import of waste for use in construction) and T15 (crushing of aerosols to minimise hazardous waste) (if exemption limits can be met) [Pollution Prevention and Control Act 1999, Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016];
- e. Environmental Permit for waste operations (Pollution Prevention and Control Act 1999, Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016);
- f. Section 61 consent if requested by the Local Authority (Control of Pollution Act 1974);
- g. Water abstraction licence (if need to remove more than 20m³/day) (Water Resources Act 1991 (as amended by the Water Act 2003), Environment Act 1995, The Water Resources (Abstraction and Impounding) Regulations 2006);
- h. Permit(s) from the Environment Agency to discharge surface/ground waters pursuant to the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016;
- i. CL:aire Materials Management Plan;
- j. Environmental Standard Rules Permit (Flood Risk Activity) to construct an outfall on a Main River (The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016);
- k. Badger Licence (Protection of Badgers Act 1992, s. 10); and
- l. Protected Species Licence (Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, s. 16).

You must cite the document references as appropriate

* Document reference

TR010027/APP/3.3 - Consents and Agreements Position Statement

Add another reference

25. Declaration



I declare to the best of my knowledge that the information given in this form and enclosed maps, plans and other documents are true.

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Please note there is a requirement for one hard copy of the form to be signed. Please ensure that when you submit you include at least one signed copy. Further copies do not require the hand written signature.

Signature _____

(For and on behalf of the Applicant)

* Name

(In block letters)

* Date / /
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* Organisation

* Position within the organisation