

High Speed Two Phase 2a: West Midlands to Crewe

Consultation under clause 60 of the High Speed Rail (West Midlands – Crewe) Bill as amended in the House of Lords Response form

We are seeking your views under clause 60 of the High Speed Rail (West Midlands – Crewe) Bill as amended in the House of Lords.

You can respond to the consultation in the following ways:

Online: <https://ipsos.uk/hs2phase2aconsultation>

Email: HS2Phase2aConsultation@ipsos-mori.com

Post: **FREEPOST HS2 PHASE 2A CONSULTATION**

This consultation will close at 11:45pm on Friday 26 February 2021.

For more information about the consultation, please visit our website www.hs2.org.uk/phase2a or call our Helpdesk on **08081 434 434**.

Please write your response clearly in black ink within the boxes below and, if you need to, attach additional information to the response form ensuring you clearly state the question you are answering.

Confidentiality and data protection

Information provided in response to this consultation, including personal information, may be subject to publication or disclosure in accordance with the access to information regimes. These are primarily the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), the Environmental Information Regulations (EIR) 2004, the Data Protection Act (DPA) 2018, and the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

Please be aware that, under the FOIA and the EIR, there is a statutory Code of Practice with which public authorities must comply and which deals with, among other things, obligations of confidence.

In view of this, it would be helpful if you could explain to us why you regard the information you have provided as confidential. If we receive a request for disclosure of the information we will take full account of your explanation, but we cannot give an assurance that confidentiality can be maintained in all circumstances. An automatic confidentiality disclaimer generated by your IT system will not, in itself, be regarded as binding on the Department for Transport or HS2 Ltd.

If you want information that you provide to be treated as confidential please tick the box below.

I want my response to be treated as confidential.

Please write your reasons in the box below, and attach additional pages if required.

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The Department for Transport, HS2 Ltd and Ipsos MORI will process your personal data in accordance with the DPA 2018 and GDPR. We may share your personal information with our partner agencies and government, when doing so enables us to fully consider your response. If you change your mind about us using your personal information you have the right to have the relevant information deleted. If this is the case, please email hs2dataprotection@hs2.org.uk

To view our full privacy notice please visit www.hs2.org.uk/privacy-notice

Part One: Your information

Please provide your name, address and full postcode in the boxes below.

While these details are not compulsory, if you can provide your contact details, these may be helpful in feedback analysis.

Please note that your response, or parts of it, may be published or be included within reports on the consultation unless you have requested confidentiality earlier on this form.

First name:
Surname:
Address:
Postcode:
Email (your email address will be used to inform you of the outcomes of the consultation):

Are you under 16? If so please ask a parent, guardian or teacher to print their name and sign below to indicate that they are happy for your response to be considered.

Parent / guardian / teacher name:
Parent / guardian / teacher signature:

Please indicate the capacity in which you are responding:

Please tick one box that applies.

- Resident of Staffordshire, Shropshire, Cheshire East or Cheshire West and Chester
- Elected representative (e.g. MP)
- Local government (includes county councils, district councils, parish and town councils)
- Statutory agency
- Environmental group
- Transport group (includes transport bodies, transport providers and infrastructure providers)
- Other representative group (includes trade associations)
- Other – Please describe:

If you are responding on behalf of an organisation please include the name of your organisation or group and tell us whom the organisation represents and, where applicable, how you assembled the views of members.

Please note: if you are providing a response on behalf of an organisation or group, the name and details of the organisation or group may be subject to publication or appear in the final report, unless you have requested confidentiality.

Name of organisation: _____

Part Two: Consultation under clause 60 of the High Speed Rail (West Midlands – Crewe) Bill as amended in the House of Lords

During the passage of the HS2 Phase 2a hybrid Bill through the House of Lords, an amendment to the Bill was made requiring a further consultation on a variety of issues. Following debate, the amendment was passed and included as clause 60 of the HS2 Phase 2a Bill as amended in the House of Lords.

The Minister of State for Transport has launched a consultation in accordance with the requirements of the clause 60 amendment. This amendment is as follows:

“Consultation with residents and stakeholders in relation to Phase 2a of High Speed Two and associated works

(1) Before 1 May 2021, the Secretary of State must publish the report of a consultation with—

(a) residents of the County of Shropshire, the County of Staffordshire, the County of Cheshire and any other areas deemed relevant by a Minister of the Crown, who may be impacted by the scheduled works, Phase 2a of High Speed 2, and associated works; and

(b) any stakeholders deemed relevant by a Minister of the Crown.

(2) The consultation must ask the views of residents and stakeholders listed in subsection (1) in regard to—

(a) the impact of road traffic as a result of the works;

(b) the impact of the works on the natural environment, including but not limited to the impact on ancient woodland;

(c) whether there are sufficient transport provisions for the purposes of passengers connecting to Phase 2a of High Speed 2, and to address changes to general passenger movements caused by the works; and

(d) if not, whether the construction of new railway stations and improvements to railway stations, including any associated reopening of lines, is necessary in relation to paragraph (c).

(3) The report must be laid before both Houses of Parliament and a Minister of the Crown must make a statement to both Houses detailing any steps which will be taken to implement the findings of the report.”

Using this response form

We are consulting residents of Staffordshire, Shropshire, Cheshire East, Cheshire West and Chester and organisations listed in Annex B of the consultation document on the paragraphs in subsection 2 of the clause 60 amendment.

More information

A consultation document has been published and contains background information.

You can view the consultation document and other supporting information at www.hs2.org.uk/phase2a

If you have any questions about this consultation, or if you would like to request this form or the consultation document in an alternative format, please get in touch via our Helpdesk by calling 08081 434 434 or emailing HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Questions

Question A

Please let us know your comments on the impact of road traffic as a result of the HS2 Phase 2a works.

Please tick the area your comments refer to. Phase 2a community areas are set out in the consultation document:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA1 Fradley to Colton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA2 Colwich to Yarlet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA3 Stone and Swynnerton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA4 Whitmore Heath to Madeley |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA5 South Cheshire | <input type="checkbox"/> Along the whole Phase 2a route |

Not on the Phase 2a route – please specify area _____

Question B

Please let us know your comments on the impact of the HS2 Phase 2a works on the natural environment, including but not limited to the impact on ancient woodland.

Please tick the area your comments refer to. Phase 2a community areas are set out in the consultation document:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA1 Fradley to Colton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA2 Colwich to Yarlet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA3 Stone and Swynnerton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA4 Whitmore Heath to Madeley |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA5 South Cheshire | <input type="checkbox"/> Along the whole Phase 2a route |

Not on the Phase 2a route – please specify area _____

Question C

Please let us know your comments on whether there are sufficient transport provisions for the purposes of passengers connecting to HS2 Phase 2a, and to address changes to general passenger movements caused by the HS2 Phase 2a works.

Please tick the area your comments refer to. Phase 2a community areas are set out in the consultation document:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA1 Fradley to Colton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA2 Colwich to Yarlet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA3 Stone and Swynnerton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA4 Whitmore Heath to Madeley |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA5 South Cheshire | <input type="checkbox"/> Along the whole Phase 2a route |

Not on the Phase 2a route – please specify area _____

If you do not think there are sufficient transport provisions for the purposes of passengers connecting to HS2 Phase 2a, and to address changes to general passenger movements caused by the HS2 Phase 2a works, please respond to question D.

Question D

Please let us know your comments on whether the construction of new railway stations and improvements to railway stations, including any associated reopening of lines, is necessary in relation to your response to question C.

Please tick the area your comments refer to. Phase 2a community areas are set out in the consultation document:

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA1 Fradley to Colton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA2 Colwich to Yarlet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA3 Stone and Swynnerton | <input type="checkbox"/> CA4 Whitmore Heath to Madeley |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA5 South Cheshire | <input type="checkbox"/> Along the whole Phase 2a route |

Not on the Phase 2a route – please specify area _____

Part Three: Submitting your response

Thank you for completing the response form. If you're sending your comments by post, please send it to this address:

FREEPOST HS2 PHASE 2A CONSULTATION

Please note: no additional address information is required and you do not need a stamp. Please use capital letters. Responses sent by FREEPOST will be considered as long as they are sent on or before the closing date.

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Please only use the response methods described here to respond to the consultation.

We cannot guarantee that responses sent to other addresses will be considered.

We are committed to keeping you informed about work on HS2. This includes ensuring you know what to expect and when to expect it, as well as how we can help.

Residents' Charter and Commissioner

The Residents' Charter is our promise to communicate as clearly as we possibly can with people who live along or near the HS2 route. www.gov.uk/government/publications/hs2-residents-charter

We also have an independent Residents' Commissioner whose job is to make sure we keep to the promises we make in the Charter and to keep it under constant review. Find reports at: www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner

You can contact the Commissioner at: residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk

Construction Commissioner

The Construction Commissioner's role is to mediate and monitor the way in which HS2 Ltd manages and responds to construction complaints. You can contact the Construction Commissioner at: complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk

Property and compensation

You can find out all about HS2 and properties along the line of route by visiting: www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property

Find out if you're eligible for compensation at: www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-by-hs2

Holding us to account

If you are unhappy for any reason, you can make a complaint by contacting our HS2 Helpdesk team. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website: www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain

Contact us

Our HS2 Helpdesk team are available all day, every day. You can contact them via:

 Freephone **08081 434 434**

 Minicom **08081 456 472**

@ Email hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Write to

FREEPOST
HS2 Community Engagement

Website www.hs2.org.uk

To keep up to date with what is happening in your area, visit:

www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk

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