### HIGH SPEED RAIL (LONDON - WEST MIDLANDS) ACT 2017

# HIGH SPEED RAIL (LONDON - WEST MIDLANDS) GENERAL VESTING DECLARATION No. 186

This **GENERAL VESTING DECLARATION** is executed on by the Secretary of State for Transport ("the Authority").

#### WHEREAS:

- (1) On 23 February 2017 the High Speed Rail (London West Midlands) Act 2017 ("the High Speed Rail Act") received Royal Assent authorising the Authority to acquire the land specified in the Schedule hereto.
- (2) Section 4(1) of the High Speed Rail Act authorises the Authority to acquire compulsorily so much of the land within the limits of the High Speed Rail Act as may be required for Phase One purposes<sup>1</sup>.
- (3) Section 4(4) of the High Speed Rail Act provides that the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981 ("the 1981 Act") applies as if the High Speed Rail Act were a compulsory purchase order and paragraph 3<sup>2</sup> of Schedule 6 to the High Speed Rail Act provides that the 1981 Act shall have effect subject to the modifications specified in that paragraph.
- (4) Notice pursuant to section 3A<sup>3</sup> of the 1981 Act was first published on 15 April 2019. That notice included the particulars specified in section 3A(3) of the 1981 Act.

**NOW THIS DEED WITNESSETH** that, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 4 of the 1981 Act, the Authority hereby declares:-

1. The land described in the Schedule hereto (being part of the land authorised to be acquired by the High Speed Rail Act) and more particularly delineated and shown coloured pink on the plan annexed hereto, together with the right to enter upon and take possession of the land, shall vest in the Authority as from the end of the period of 3 months from the date on which the service of notices required by section 6<sup>4</sup> of the 1981 Act is completed.

For the purposes of Section 2(2) of the 1981 Act, the specified period in relation to the land comprised in this declaration is one year and one day.

<sup>1</sup> Phase One Purposes has meaning given by section 67 of the High Speed Rail Act

<sup>2</sup> Paragraph 3 as substituted by section 11 of, and paragraph 6 of Schedule 14 to, the High Speed Rail Act.

<sup>3</sup> Section 3A of the 1981 Act as inserted by paragraph 3(a) of Schedule 6 to the High Speed Rail Act as substituted by section 11 of, and paragraphs 6 and 7 of Schedule 14 to, that Act.

<sup>4</sup> Section 6 as modified by paragraph 3(c) of Schedule 6 to the High Speed Rail Act, as substituted by section 11 of, and paragraph 6 of Schedule 14 to, that Act

## **SCHEDULE**

# District of Aylesbury Vale

(1) Plot No	(2) Plot Description
46030	All interests in 27785.4 square metres, or thereabouts, of agricultural land, hedgerow, drain and public footpath (PBI/9/3) (Casemore Farm)
46037	All interests in 93.2 square metres, or thereabouts, of river, bed and banks thereof (Padbury Brook)
46044	All interests in 89.0 square metres, or thereabouts, of river, bed and banks thereof (Padbury Brook)
46048	All interests in 63417.5 square metres, or thereabouts, of agricultural land, hedgerows, drain and public bridleway (CHW/24/2) (Moat Farm)
46060	All interests in 3192.8 square metres, or thereabouts, of public roads and verges (School Lane and The Green) excluding the interests held by the Secretary of State for Transport

# District of Cherwell

(1) Plot No	(2) Plot Description
48583	All interests in 9597.9 square metres, or thereabouts, of agricultural land
	(Moat Farm)

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF** the Secretary of State for Transport has hereunto set its corporate seal on the day in the year first written above.

The **CORPORATE SEAL** of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TRANSPORT hereunto affixed to this deed is authenticated by

SEAL REF NO. DFT 9636

**Authorised Signatory** 

Dated: 18th June 2019



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