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Dear Sirs

**Notification of Proposed Application pursuant to s46 Planning Act 2008:
The Northampton Gateway Rail Freight Order 201X**

Further to our recent email correspondence, please accept this letter as notification pursuant to section 46 of the Planning Act 2008 ("the Act") that Roxhill (Junction 15) Limited ("the Applicant") intends to carry out its statutory consultation pursuant to section 42 of the Act commencing on 9 October 2017 and expiring on 24 November 2017.

Accordingly, we enclose the following:

- 1) A copy of the letters being sent to all consultation bodies pursuant to sections 42, 43 and 44 of the Act; and
- 2) A copy of the section 48 press notice.

The deadline given for responses to the consultation is 24 November 2017.

For the avoidance of doubt, we confirm that the Applicant prepared a Statement of Community Consultation ("SoCC") and consulted with the local authorities (South Northamptonshire District Council, Northampton Borough Council and Northamptonshire County Council) in respect of the content thereof. The Applicant published a notice in the Northampton Chronicle and Echo on 14 September 2017 pursuant to section 47(6) of the Act advising that the SoCC could be inspected at various locations. We have enclosed a copy of that notice for your information.

We trust the enclosed information is sufficient, however, should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact Morag Thomson (moragthomson@eversheds-sutherland.com) or Laura-Beth Hutton (laura-bethhutton@eversheds-sutherland.com).

Yours faithfully



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