

**DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSPORT
2022**

The Transport and Works Act 1992

**The Transport and Works (Applications and Objections Procedure)
(England and Wales) Rules 2006**

**THE HIGH SPEED RAIL (LONDON – WEST MIDLANDS) ACT
2017(AMENDMENT)(BROMFORD TUNNEL) ORDER**

**Application to the Secretary of State under section 6 of the Transport and
Works Act 1992 for an Order under sections 1 and 5 of that Act**

TO The Secretary of State for Transport
c/o Transport Infrastructure Planning Unit,
Department for Transport,
Legal Service,
Department for Transport,
Zone 1/14 -18,
Great Minster House,
33 Horseferry Road,
London SW1P 4DR

1. High Speed Two (HS2) Limited ("the Company") hereby makes application to the Secretary of State for Transport under section 6 of the Transport and Works Act 1992 for an Order under sections 1 and 5 of that Act in the terms of the draft Order accompanying this application or in such other terms and conferring such powers and subject to such conditions as the Secretary of State may think fit.
2. The object of the proposed Order is to make a minor amendment to the High Speed Rail (London – West Midlands) Act 2017 ("the 2017 Act") which authorises the construction and operation of Phase One of the proposed high speed railway between London and the West Midlands.
3. The effect of the amendment would be to remove a legal impediment to a small part of the high speed railway authorised by the 2017 Act being constructed within tunnel under the powers conferred by the Act, rather than partly on viaduct (being less than 30 metres in length and located near Water Orton to the east of Birmingham) as originally envisaged under the 2017 Act.

4. All requests for further information, notices or other documents required to be served upon the applicant under the above mentioned Act or Rules may be sent to Eversheds Sutherland (International) LLP, One Wood Street, London EC2V 7WS (reference: High Speed Rail (London – West Midlands) Act 2017 (Amendment) (Bromford Tunnel) Order.

Dated 20 January 2022.

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