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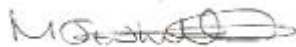
Email: HS2enquiries@hs2.org.ukwww.hs2.org.uk**Work on behalf of HS2 Ltd – demobilisation from Marston site now complete**

I wrote to you last month to let you know that while the Government has reaffirmed its commitment to deliver HS2 from London Euston to Manchester - which includes extending the railway between the West Midlands and Crewe - the Treasury has implemented a pause during which a spending review will assess the commercial aspect of the work on Phase 2a. **This affects our gas pipeline diversion scheme in Marston.**

Our contractor, A. Hak, has now demobilised from the site. We'll get in touch again before we re-start our work.

If you have any questions, please call the HS2 Freephone Community Helpline which remains operational all day, every day, and is your first point of contact should you need advice or information from HS2. The Helpline is available at HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk and telephone 08081 434 434. A Freephone Minicom service is operated on 08081 456 472 for those with hearing difficulties. You can also write to them at: HS2 Community Hub, High Speed Two (HS2) Ltd, Two Snowhill, Snow Hill Queensway, Birmingham, B4 6GA.

Yours sincerely



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