

DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSPORT

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980

THE A2 TRUNK ROAD (BEAN AND EBBSFLEET JUNCTION IMPROVEMENTS) (SLIP ROADS AND ROUNDABOUTS) ORDER 20..

THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TRANSPORT hereby gives notice that he proposes to make an Order under sections 10 and 41 of the Highways Act 1980 which will authorise that the new slip roads at Bean Junction and new slip roads and roundabout extension at Ebbsfleet Junction which are proposed to be constructed by Highways England along the routes described in the Schedule to the above named Order shall become trunk roads and for which Highways England Company Limited, as a strategic highways company, will be directed under the Order shall become the highway authority for those trunk roads from the date when the Order comes into force.

COPIES of the draft Order and the plans referred to in it may be inspected on the Highways England website at www.highwaysengland.co.uk/projects/a2-bean-and-ebbsfleet-junction-improvements/ and free of charge at all reasonable hours from 14th February 2019 until 28th March 2019 at the offices of :-

- (1) Highways England, Bridge House, 1 Walnut Tree Close, Guildford, Surrey GU1 4LZ;
- (2) Dartford Borough Council, Civic Centre, Home Gardens, Dartford, DA1 1DR (Monday-Thursday 8.45am to 5.15pm, Friday 8.45am to 4.45pm);
- (3) Swanscombe & Greenhithe Town Council, The Groves, Swanscombe, DA10 0GA (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.30am to 4.00pm, Wednesday by appointment only);

ANY PERSON MAY OBJECT to the making of this Order not later than 28th March 2019 by writing to the Secretary of State for Transport, at the National Transport Casework Team, Tyneside House, Skinnerburn Road, Newcastle Business Park, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE4 7AR or by email to nationalcasework@dftr.gov.uk stating the title of the Order and the grounds of their objection. In the preparation of an objection and the statement of grounds of objection it should be borne in mind that the substance of any objection or representation may be communicated to other people who may be affected by it.

In submitting an objection or representation it should be noted that your personal data and correspondence will be passed to Highways England to enable your objection or representation to be considered. If you do not wish your personal data to be forwarded, please state your reasons when submitting your objection or representation and the Secretary of State will copy your representations, with your name and address removed, to Highways England; if there is to be a Public Local Inquiry they will be seen in that form

by the public and the Inspector, who may give them less weight as a result. Highways England may disclose your objections or representations, with your name and address removed, to other parties acting on its behalf.

Further information on the project and this notice may be obtained from the Highways England (Guildford) office at the address above or by telephoning 0300 123 5000 or by email A2BeanandEbbsfleetJunctionsImprovements@highwaysengland.co.uk

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