Forth Replacement Crossing M9 Junction 1A Site Offices Newmains Road Kirkliston Edinburgh EH29 9EG

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Dear House Owner / Tenant,

FORTH REPLACEMENT CROSSING – M9 JUNCTION 1A RE: Work Activities Update – M9 Gantries

SRB Civil Engineering,on behalf of Transport Scotland,has been appointed as the main contractor to undertake the upgrade works on the M9 Junction 1a.

We would like to advise you that over the next few weekends we will be carrying out overnight works on the M9 and M9 Spur. This will involve moving and removing varioguard and the lifting of a number of gantries into position on the M9 and on the M9 Spur. The nature of the activities may mean that you will be aware of the works whilst in progress as we will be using large cranes and lighting units.

The works willrequire a complete closure of the motorwayovernight on Saturday 22nd September from 8pm until Sunday at 8am and a diversion route will be in place for traffic. The following weekend (Fri 28th September – Sun 30th September), the M9 will be closed eastbound between junctions 2 and 1A and the westbound M9 will be reduced to one lane for traffic.

Over the weekend of 22nd September our works will include erecting the supports for Gantry 11 which is located directly behind the properties on BuiiRigg.

We apologise for any inconvenience that the works may cause and thank you for your continued patience whilst we construct the new junction. Should you have any queries regarding any aspects of SRB operations, please contact the FRC Helpline on 08000 786 910 (choose Option 3). Alternatively you can contact the Community Liaison Officer, Elaine Barrie on 07720 947 977.

Our approach to all works is to minimise the impact and disturbance to the local community. Through our previous experience of such works we are keen to ensure that you are aware in advance of any the works. We will continue to keep you informed in advance of works taking place in the vicinity of your neighbourhood during the contract period however should you have any queries or require any additional information in the meantime please don't hesitate to contact the Community Liaison Officer to discuss.

Yours faithfully,

Seamus Obrien

M9J1A Project Manager(SRB Civil Engineering Ltd)