THE ACQUISITION OF LAND (AUTHORISATION PROCEDURE) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1947

THE A9 AND A95 TRUNK ROADS (DALRADDY TO SLOCHD) COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER 201[]

The A9 and A95 Trunk Roads (Dalraddy to Slochd) Compulsory Purchase Order 201[], which has been prepared in draft and notice published on the Twenty-eighth day of August Two Thousand and Eighteen, includes the land described in the schedule of this Notice.

The land is to be acquired for the purpose of improving and constructing new lengths of road in relation to the M9/A9 Edinburgh-Stirling-Thurso Trunk Road between Dalraddy and Slochd, Inverness-shire and the A95 Granish – Keith Trunk Road at Granish.

The land to be acquired forms part of an open space.

Notice is hereby given that the Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by paragraph 11 of Part III of the First Schedule to the Acquisition of Land (Authorisation Procedure) (Scotland) Act 1947, propose to give certificate that that they are satisfied that this land is required for the widening of an existing public road within the meaning of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 and that the giving in exchange of other land is unnecessary in the interests of the public.

The giving of exchange land is considered unnecessary in the interests of the public as sufficient other suitable land is being acquired as mitigation for the loss of open space being acquired and will be available to the public for access subsequent to completion of the works to widening of the public road.

A map showing the land to which the proposed certificate relates may be inspected free of charge and during their normal opening hours, from 28 August 2018 to 09 October 2018 at:-

The offices of Transport Scotland, Reception, 5th Floor, Buchanan House, 58 Port Dundas Road, Glasgow, G4 0HF,

The Highland Council (Service Point), Castle Street, Inverness, IV1 1JJ,

High Life Highland, Aviemore Community Centre, Muirton, Aviemore, PH22 1SF,

Spar (Post Office), Main Street, Carrbridge, PH23 3AS.

Any objections to the Order must be made in writing stating the title of the Order and the grounds of objection to the Director of Major Transport Infrastructure Projects, Transport Scotland, Design Team 2, 5th Floor North, Buchanan House, 58 Port Dundas Road, Glasgow, G4 0HF by 09 October 2018.

The Scottish Ministers may, if they consider it expedient, hold a public local inquiry, after having regard to any representations and objections made.

SCHEDULE

Common or open space amounting to some 8708 square metres or thereby as shown within Plots Numbers 422, 423, 432 and 464 of the draft A9 and A95 Trunk Roads (Dalraddy to Slochd) Compulsory Purchase Order 201[].

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Transport Scotland Major Transport Infrastructure Projects Buchanan House 58 Port Dundas Road Glasgow G4 0HF 21 August 2018