

# Birmingham Eastside Extension

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

## Application Letter



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The Secretary of State for Transport  
Transport and Works Act Orders Unit  
General Counsel's Office  
Department for Transport  
Zone 1/18  
33 Horseferry Road  
London SW1P 4DR

4<sup>th</sup> October 2016

Dear Sir

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**Proposed Midland Metro (Birmingham Eastside Extension) Order**

The West Midlands Combined Authority hereby makes an application to the Secretary of State for Transport for an Order under sections 1 and 5 of the Transport and Works Act 1992 in the terms of the draft Order accompanying this application.

The proposed Order authorises Centro to construct and operate an extension to the Midland Metro tramway in the City of Birmingham. The proposed extension would join the existing tramway from a point to the south east of the junction of Bull Street and Corporation Street, continuing south east on Bull Street, over Albert Street and Moor Street Queensway to then turn south along New Canal Street into Meriden Street then continuing east to run along Digbeth High Street culminating in a point just east of Heath Mill Lane. The limits of the proposed Order go beyond this point to just north west of Clyde Street for associated highway works. The proposed Order also contains powers for the compulsory acquisition of land and rights over land, the temporary use of land, the temporary stopping up of streets, street works and ancillary works.

This letter of application is accompanied by three copies of the letter and four copies of the documents particularised in the accompanying list of application documents, as prescribed by Rule 10 of the Transport and Works (Applications and Objections Procedure) (England and Wales) Rules 2006.

All requests for further information, notices or any other documents required to be served on the WMCA should be sent, marked for the attention of Robbie Owen, to Pinsent Masons LLP, 30 Crown Place, Earl Street, London EC2A 4ES.



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We would be grateful if you would also acknowledge receipt of this application by writing to Pinsent Masons LLP.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Peter Adams', written in a cursive style.

**Peter Adams**  
**Head of Metro Development**