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Dear Mike

In response to some recent local media coverage about the impact of HS2 construction traffic on Woore in relation to the proposal for a longer, continuous tunnel between Whitmore Heath and Madeley, I thought it might be helpful for me to provide some clarification.

You will know that we have been asked by the Secretary of State for Transport to look at a longer tunnel in the area. At this early stage, we cannot say exactly what the impact of construction traffic on Woore would be if a longer tunnel were to be adopted. However, we believe that while there would likely be a reduction in peak numbers of HGVs compared to those quoted in the Environmental Statement, it would likely still be necessary for construction traffic to use the 'A' roads through the village.

I hope that is useful, but please let me know if you have any questions or comments.

Kind regards,
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