

IN PARLIAMENT
HOUSE OF COMMONS
SESSION 2013-14

HIGH SPEED RAIL (LONDON-WEST MIDLANDS) BILL

Against – on- Merits

To the Honourable the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland in Parliament assembled.

THE HUMBLE PETITION OF MRS MARGARET CATHERINE RAND

SHEWETH as follows:-

- 1 A Bill (hereinafter referred to as "the bill") has been introduced as is now pending in Your honourable House intituled "A bill to make provision for High Speed Rail (London – West Midlands)
- 2 The Bill is presented by Mr Secretary McLoughlin.
- 3 I object to the stopping up of Marsh Lane. I object to the stopping up of Risborough Road. I object to the bringing of excess water to Dodd's Farm. I object to not being compensated. I object to the noise at both home and stables.
- 4 I am the co-owner of a house on one side of the High Speed Rail and co-owner of stables and Land on the other.
- 5 My interests are injuriously affected by the Bill, to which I object for reasons amongst others, hereinafter appearing.
- 6 I object to the Bill because it will increase my journey time to my stables by car and it will make it difficult for me to walk or cycle using the new bypass. I do this journey numerous times a day for the care of our ponies and land. I have used this road for over 30 years. It shows in the in the 1830c Ordinance Survey Map.

I propose that a wide bridge that will allow disabled access be provided when Marsh Lane is stopped up. Perhaps this bridge could be provided by moving the one proposed on the nearby footpath. Alternatively one of its own be provided.

This would enable walkers and cyclist to travel the route all year.

I object to the Bill because it could reduce the public buses that I am able to use at present.

I would suggest that regular public transport be provided and supported into Stoke Mandeville and we will not be disadvantaged.

I object to the Bill as it intends to bring down surface water from the High Speed Rail to a pond at Dodd's farm which is likely to result in Flooding in an area already wet. The road close to where the pond is to be placed flooded 2013-2014. My stables and Land are at HP22 5UR.

I would request that recognition and assurance is given that if there is increased water coming into an already wet area causing more wet and a risk of flooding it will be corrected.

I object to the Bill as it is likely to cause noise at both our home and our stables.

I request that where there is noise at both my home and stables more screening and noise sound proofing will be provided to eliminate it. This not only applies to the High Speed Rail but also to the Risborough to Aylesbury Rail Over Bridge and Satellite Compound (West).

- 7 For the foregoing and connected reasons I respectfully submit, that unless the Bill is amended as proposed above, clauses So far affecting me should not be allowed to pass into law.
- 8 There are other clauses and provisions of the Bill which, if passed into law as they now stand will prejudicially affect me and my rights, interests and property and for which no adequate provision is made to protect me.

I therefore humbly pray your Honourable House that the Bill may not be allowed to pass into law as it now stands and that I may be heard in support of the allegations of this Petition against so much of the Bill as affects the property, rights and interests of my Petition and in support of such other clauses and provisions as may be necessary of expedient for their protection or that such other relief may be given to me in the premises as your Honourable House shall deem meet.

AND your Petitioner will ever pray, &c.

Signature

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