

Consultation Response from: KC Environmental Health (Pollution & Noise Control)

2023/91990 - railway line and associated land between, Huddersfield and Westtown (Dewsbury), within the Order Limits of The Network Rail (Huddersfield to Westtown (Dewsbury), Improvements Order 2022

Discharge of conditions 5, 6, 7, 10, 17 and 18 of the Deemed Planning Permission granted by the Department for Transport in relation to The Network Rail (Huddersfield to Westtown (Dewsbury) Improvements Order 2022, Stage 6 of the Development

Responding Date:
26 January 2026

Responding Officer:
Mohammed Nasim

Responding Ref:
WK202600866

Comments

Network Rail have submitted a letter dated 17 December 2025 ref 51667-TSA-00-TRU-REP-W-EN-900060 seeking to vary the TRU scheme working hours from 02 February 2026 to 31 December 2028. In line with our permitted construction hours, the current times are -

- Mon to Fri - 0800hrs to 1800hrs
- Saturday - 0800hrs to 1300hrs
- Sunday - No working

The proposal is for -

- Mon to Saturday - 0700hrs to 1900hrs
- Sunday - No working

Their reasoning is based upon having made numerous applications to extend working hours at various locations in order to maintain programme delivery and complete critical works. This need will likely continue for the remainder of the project and therefore, Network Rail have requested approval to extend working hours across the footprint of the current TWAO Scheme area.

Based upon the above, we have no objection to the proposal subject to the applicant ensuring all works continue to be implemented in accordance with Best Practicable Means (BPM) and their approved Noise and Vibration Management Plans at all times.