

**PROPOSED NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED (IPSWICH CHORD)  
ORDER, IPC REFERENCE: TR040002**

**PLANNING ACT 2008, SECTIONS 91, 92 and 93  
INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (EXAMINATION PROCEDURE) RULES 2010**

**NOTICE PUBLICISING OPEN FLOOR HEARING, SPECIFIC ISSUES HEARING AND  
COMPULSORY ACQUISITION HEARING**

Notice is given that the following hearings will be held by the Examining Authority appointed by the Infrastructure Planning Commission ("IPC") to consider the application ("the Application") made under section 37 of the Planning Act 2008 by Network Rail Infrastructure Limited of Kings Place, 90 York Way, London N1 9AG for the above-mentioned development consent order. The Application was made on 29<sup>th</sup> June 2011 and accepted on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2011.

<b>Hearing</b>	<b>Date/time</b>
Open Floor	Tuesday 14 February at 10.00 am
Issue Specific	Tuesday 14 February at 2.00 pm and Wednesday 15 February at 10.00 am
Compulsory Acquisition	Tuesday 21 February at 10.00 am, Wednesday 22 February at 10.00 am and Thursday 23 February at 10.00 am

The hearings will take place at the IP City Centre, Bath Street, Ipswich, IP2 8SD.

The Application seeks consent for a new section of railway to the north of Ipswich Goods yard in the districts of Ipswich and Babergh, linking the East Suffolk and Great Eastern lines.

A copy of the application form and its accompanying documents, plans and maps are available for inspection free of charge at Ipswich County Reference Library, Northgate Street, Ipswich, IP1 3DE during the following opening hours: Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9.00 am to 6.00 pm; Tuesdays and Fridays, 9.00 am to 7.00 pm; Saturdays 8.30 am to 5.00 pm and Sundays 10.00 am to 4.00 pm.

The application documents and all other documents relating to the Application are also available online on the IPC's website at <http://infrastructure.independent.gov.uk/projects/eastern/ipswich-rail-chord>.

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