

## NOISE INSULATION REGULATIONS 1975

### **A38 DOBWALLS BYPASS**

The A38 Dobwalls Bypass was opened to traffic on 20<sup>th</sup> September 2008

Offers of insulation (double windows, and perhaps doors, special ventilation and in some cases venetian blinds) or an equivalent grant have been made to the occupiers (and/or landlords) of all residential properties which are believed to qualify under the Noise Insulation Regulations 1975. The list showing these dwellings may be seen at Highways Agency, Ash House, Falcon Road, Exeter, EX2 7LB, or is available from Highways Agency, Major Projects Division, Room C8, 5 Broadway, Broad Street, Birmingham, B15 1BL

Where no offer of insulation or grant has been made the Regulations give a right of appeal to the occupier or person entitled to occupy any dwelling or other residential property (such as an old people's home or hostel for long-stay residents), and to his/her immediate landlord or licensor (if any), where the dwelling or property is within 300 metres of the scheme. Any person who claims that use of the new length of road causes or is expected to cause noise greater than the level specified in the Regulations may appeal in writing to the Highways Agency, Major Projects Division, Room C8, 5 Broadway, Broad Street, Birmingham, B15 1BL . The appeal should set out the facts and request that an offer of insulation or grant be made in accordance with the provisions of the Regulations. This right of appeal must be exercised not later than 19<sup>th</sup> September 2009.

Booklet 5 'Compulsory Purchase and Compensation – Mitigation Works' is available free from the Highways Agency or can be found on the Department of Communities and Local Government website.

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