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18<sup>th</sup> March 2019

Attn: [REDACTED]

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Dear [REDACTED]

**Award of contract for the The Provision of Legal Advisors for the Outline Planning Phase of TSGN Refranchising: PPRO 04/103/046**

I am pleased to inform you that your company has been selected for a Direct Award for the Provision of Legal Advice for the Outline Planning Phase of TSGN Refranchising and therefore, we would like to award the contract to you.

The call-off contract shall commence the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March 2019 and the expiry date will be the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 2019. There are no extension options. The total contract value shall be up to £125,000 (excluding VAT).

This Direct Award is being offered under Panel RM3756 Rail Legal Services Tier 1 and the Panel Terms and Conditions shall apply. A copy of the contract is provided with this Award Letter and includes those Panel Terms and Conditions.

Please would you print and sign a copy of this Letter of Appointment with the acknowledgement signed by a partner of your firm and return via email.

Should you have any queries regarding this or any other matter please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

Signed for and on behalf of the Department for Transport

Name: [REDACTED]

Signature: [REDACTED]

Date: 18/03/2019

I hereby confirm receipt of the above Letter of Appointment and the agreement of Ashurst LLP to provide to the Department for Transport (DfT) the Services as specified in the Letter of Appointment.

Signed on behalf of Ashurst LLP

Signature.....

Title.....

Date.....