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To whom it may concern,


The Government has defined key workers as: “***those who will keep the air, water, road and rail passenger and freight transport modes operating during the Covid-19 response, including those working on transport systems through which supply chains pass***”. Their child / children are therefore eligible for continued schooling in line with the Government’s commitment to support key workers (as defined at 19 March 2020), they can travel to their place of work and they are able to arrange accommodation (hotel, bed and breakfast etc.) to support their working patterns. These three areas are essential to enable them to keep the country operating during this difficult time.

Highways England relies on suppliers to keep the strategic road network operating. These suppliers are crucial to the operation of the network and their employees are therefore defined as key workers.

This letter, along with the corresponding letter from the supplier and photographic identification of the employee, provides confirmation that the individual is a key worker for their employer and hence Highways England. Please provide the appropriate support to help us keep the strategic road network operating.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely



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