



STATEMENT ON THE ORR RESOLUTION REGARDING TEMPLE MILLS

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Following the decision by the Office of Rail and Road (ORR), Evolyn wishes to state that, although this was not the outcome anticipated, **the project continues with the same ambition and determination.**

We are committed to establishing a new international high-speed operator between the United Kingdom and continental Europe. In this context, Evolyn welcomes the **announcement made by the British Department for Transport (DfT) regarding the construction of a new international railway maintenance depot near London**, which is scheduled for completion before the end of 2029. This alternative **opens up new opportunities to advance** towards a more open, competitive, and efficient international rail market.

Therefore, **Evolyn continues to work resolutely** to make a modern, sustainable, and passenger-focused rail service a reality, contributing to improved connectivity between the United Kingdom and Europe.