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Dear Sirs

**Re: Midland Metro – Wednesbury to Brierley Hill Extension**  
**Our Client: The Canal and River Trust**

We refer to our objection dated 22 May 2018 in relation to the Midland Metro (Wednesbury to Brierley Hill Land Acquisition) Order. We confirm that our clients have been engaged in discussions with West Midlands Combined Authority and we are now instructed to formally remove our client's objection. We therefore do not intend to participate in the inquiry procedure any further.

We would be grateful if you could confirm receipt of our correspondence as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully

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