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Rt Hon Patrick McLoughlin MP
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Consultation on the changes to the A27 in the Chichester area.

Dear Secretary of State

It was with great concern that the proposed consultation would only involve four of the original seven options. As all seven options were so widely publicised the vast majority of local people reasonably expected they would be consulted on all seven. Selsey Town Council is concerned that both northern options were summarily withdrawn. In the interest of openness and transparency we are calling for all seven options to be placed on the table. The exclusion of the two northern options immediately creates the impression that any consultation is fundamentally flawed.

The 30,000 residents on the Manhood peninsula will be considerably affected by any changes to the A27 and so they deserve a fair hearing on the consultation that will affect us all for the next fifty years. We call on the secretary of State to reinstate all seven original options for full and proper consultation.

Yours Sincerely

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