

From: Peter Silverman **Clean Highways**

Sent: 08 February 2017 09:40

To: Nick Harris - Ops. Dir. Highways England

Cc: Jim O'Sullivan - CEO Highways England ; Colin Matthews Chairman of Highways England ; Prof. Stephen Glaister - Chairman ORR ;Joanna Whittington Chief Exec Office of Rail & Road; Peter Antolik Office of Rail and Road; Guy Dangerfield, Transport Focus.org.uk; Chris Grayling - Sec of State for Transport; John Hayes - Minister of State DfT; Philip Rutnam - Perm Sec DfT; Jayesh Patel (DfT); Tricia.Hayes - Dir Gen Roads DfT ; Chris Preston - Dep. Dir. Waste & Recycling DEFRA ; Andrea Leadsom - Sec Of State for the Environment; Clare Moriarty (Permanent Secretary - DEFRA); Lord Gardiner (U/s State DEFRA); Sajid Javid - Sec of State Communities & Local Gov ; Marcus Jones - U/s State Local Government; Kevin Hollinrake MP; Andrew Gwynne MP

Subject: Roadside litter - Highways England network

Nick,

Please access this [link to see a synopsis of recent complaints about roadside litter](#).

They have been submitted via our [Have your say](#) page and cover the period 5th Jan – 6th Feb.

The majority concern litter on the Highways England network and demonstrates HE's continuing failure to comply with its [statutory duty with regard to litter](#).

The other roads fall under the aegis of local authorities.

You may be interested to know that the Office of Rail & Road have confirmed that assessing Highways England's compliance with this duty is outside the scope of it's functions.

It remains however a key function of Clean Highways and I look forward to a continuing our dialogue on this topic.

Kind regards

Peter Silverman

www.cleanhighways.co.uk

01895 625770

[Duty to keep highways clear of litter](#)

[Our key recommendations](#)

[Have your say](#)