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Dear Laura,

Permission for the temporary relocation of the Network Rail Robert Stephenson Statue to the Locomotion Museum, Shildon.

I write to you further to a request from to loan the Robert Stephenson Statue to the Locomotion Museum, Shildon, the statue being owned by Network Rail and currently held in storage by HS2 Ltd.

I can advise that Network Rail Infrastructure Limited gives consent for the statue to be loaned to the Locomotion Museum for a period up until 2025 or later date if agreed between all parties.

Before the statue is relocated from the HS2 Ltd storage facility it is expected that all relevant parties will enter into a tri-partite agreement documenting the conditions of which the statue is to be loaned, which is to include insurance and indemnity responsibilities.

It is our expectation that the Locomotion Museum will pay for the relocation costs and be responsible for any damages during the transportation to the Locomotion Museum, Shildon.

I trust the contents of this letter are satisfactory, but should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely

A black rectangular box redacting the signature of Stephen Mellor.

Stephen Mellor

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