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## APPLICATION FOR ADVERTISING CONSENT FOR THE DISPLAY OF BANNERS ON LAMPPOSTS

## Extension of application 2014/6259/A

This cover letter is in support of the planning application for Pancras Road. In its entirety the submission is for 15 identical lamppost banner sites along a stretch of Pancras Road between the junction with Euston Road in the south, and Kings Boulevard in the north. The lamppost columns in question are sites I,J,K,L,M,N,O,P,R,S,T,U,W,Y,X,Z,A1,AA,AC,AB.

The banners will display Eurostar branding, and are to coincide with their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary until 20<sup>th</sup> January. The banners will then be replaced to promote The Railway Children, a production taking place at the Kings Cross Theatre. The advertising is sought for an extension until the 18<sup>th</sup> February 2015 on the current sites

Advice was sought from Camden's planning department to determine the viability of this proposal being accepted. It was generally agreed in principle, that due to the temporary nature of the campaign, and that it was relating to a local event, that planning would be granted.

The Bay Media lamppost banner system which will be used is a retrofit flex-arm system. The system will be installed and removed at the end of the period. The system is installed with a protective layer to make sure there is no damage to the column, and this layer can be sourced so that it matches the colour of the column there by minimising the visible area on the column. The specifications for the system are included in the appendix documentation in this submission. All installations are made with a minimum clearance of 2.8m from the ground and will not be installed so that they obstruct the carriageway, as is indicated by the Technical Drawing included in the appendix documentation in this submission.

All sites will be subject to a license from Highways, and will be structurally tested by Rei-lux UK, a third party testing company, prior to any installation and only sites which have been classified as Grade 1 structurally sound will be used. The testing results will be shared with Jim Thornhill of Camden Council.

All Eurostar advertisements displayed will adhere to the advertising restrictions, pursuant to the Advertising Standards Authority code and will be submitted to Christine Thomson and the Corporate Strategy - Business & Commercial Development Team for final approval prior to any installation.

Yours faithfully,

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