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Our Ref: F0015394

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Mr N Hardwick

[By email: request-442919-a4bf3646@whatdotheyknow.com]

Dear Mr Hardwick,

Freedom of Information Act Request - F0015394

I am writing regarding your request for information, which I received on 3 November 2017. In that request, you asked us for:

'Could you please provide those elements of the West Midlands Trains tender submission which relate to:

1. proposed use of existing together with details of new rolling stock 2. proposed timetable together with any future enhancements.'

I will be unable to proceed with your request without clarification of the information you wish to receive. To help us do so, can you please clarify whether you are requesting the information provided in the bid submission or what was contracted.

Please note that if I do not receive appropriate clarification of your information requirements within three months from the date of this letter, then I will consider your request closed.

If you wish to discuss any of the above, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

Michael Cook

Correspondence Manager – Passenger Services