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**Birtley to Coal House**  
improvement scheme

**Preliminary Environmental  
Information Report  
Appendix A**

<b>Acronym</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>A</b>	
ALC	Agricultural Land Classification
AOD	Above Ordnance Datum
AONB	Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty
AQMA	Air Quality Management Area
ARN	Appraised Road Network
<b>B</b>	
BGL	Below Ground Level
BMV	Best and Most Versatile
<b>C</b>	
CA	Conservation Areas
CCTV	Closed-Circuit Television
CDE	Construction, Demolition and Excavation
CEMP	Construction Environmental Management Plan
CL:AIRE	Contaminated Land: Applications in Real Environments
<b>D</b>	
DBA	Desk Based Assessment
DCO	Development Consent Order
DfT	Department for Transport
DMRB	Design Manual for Roads and Bridges
<b>E</b>	
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EPDs	Environmental Product Declarations
ES	Environmental Statement

EIA Regulations	Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017
<b>F</b>	
FRA	Flood Risk Assessment
<b>G</b>	
GCR	Geological Conservation Review
GHG	Greenhouse Gas
GI	Ground Investigation
GLVIA	Guidelines for Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment
<b>H</b>	
ha	Hectares
HER	Historic Environment Record
<b>I</b>	
IAN	Interim Advice Note
IAQM	Institute of Air Quality Management
<b>J</b>	
<b>K</b>	
KPI	Key Performance Indicators
<b>L</b>	
LLFA	Lead Local Flood Authority
LPA	Local Planning Authority
LVIA	Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment
LWS	Local Wildlife Site
<b>M</b>	
MMP	Material Management Plan
MoRLiCS	Motorway Road Lighting Control System

MSGP	Making Spaces for Growing Places
MT	Motorised Travellers
<b>N</b>	
NGWB	Newcastle/Gateshead Western Bypass
NIAAs	Noise Important Areas
NMTs	Non-Motorised Travellers
NMUs	Non-Motorised Users
NO	Nitrogen Oxide
NO <sub>2</sub>	Nitrogen Dioxide
NOx	Oxides of Nitrogen
NPPF	National Planning Policy Framework
NPSNN	National Policy Statement for National Networks
NSIP	Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project
<b>O</b>	
<b>P</b>	
PEA	Preliminary Ecological Appraisal
PEIR	Preliminary Environmental Information Report
PRF	Potential Roof Features
ProW	Public Right of Way
PSSR	Preliminary Sources Study Report
<b>Q</b>	
<b>R</b>	
RBMP	River Basin Management Plan
RIS	Roads Investment Strategy
RPE	Respiratory Protective Equipment

<b>S</b>	
SOBC	Strategic Outline Business Case
SNCI	Sites of Nature Conservation Importance
SM	Scheduled Monument
SoS	Secretary of State
SSSI	Site of Special Scientific Interest
SWMP	Site Waste Management Plan
SAC	Special Area of Conservation
SoCC	Statement of Community Consultation
SPA	Special Protection Area
SPZ	Source Protection Zone
SRN	Strategic Road Network
<b>T</b>	
TMP	Traffic Management Plan
TSCS	Thin Surface Course System
<b>U</b>	
UKCP	United Kingdom Climate Projection
<b>V</b>	
VMS	Variable Message Sign
<b>W</b>	
WFD	Water Framework Directive
<b>Z</b>	
ZVI	Zone of Visual Influence

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