

The Rt Hon Boris Johnson, MP
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Dear Prime Minister,

Congratulations on your recent electoral victory. As the leading representative body for the construction sector, we look forward to working closely with you and Her Majesty's Government.

I appreciate you have a significant number of priorities – as well as a substantial number of letters telling you what those priorities should be – so I will get straight to the point.

Our request is simple: in order to provide sufficient homes, keep businesses moving, and grow the economy, we would ask you to include the following in your priorities:

1. Publication of a national strategy for infrastructure, that includes housing and provides certainty on major projects including HS2 and the Heathrow Expansion.
2. Acting as a responsible client, across central and local Government, when procuring and delivering construction projects by implementing fair contracts and payment practices, prioritising whole-life value, and setting realistic and achievable costs and programmes.

There are plenty of challenges ahead, but with a clear plan and commitment we can work together to achieve our shared ambitions and spread opportunity to every corner of the UK.

Yours sincerely,



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