



**Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004  
The Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England)  
Regulations 2012 (As amended)**

**AIR QUALITY SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENT (SPD)**

**ADOPTION STATEMENT**

In accordance with Regulation 14 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 (As amended), notice is hereby given that the Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) was formally adopted by the Council on 2nd June 2020.

The Air Quality SPD adds detailed guidance to assist with the implementation of the adopted Local Plan (2018). The SPD will provide clear information for developers about what is required when making planning applications, and how planning applications will be evaluated in terms of air quality. The Air Quality SPD forms part of the Council's planning policy framework and is now a material consideration in the determination of planning applications.

Details of the decision by the Environment, Sustainability, Culture and Sports Committee, including the committee report, the final version of the SPD and the responses received to the consultation that took place between 1 November 2019 and 13 December 2019 are available on the Council's website:

<https://cabnet.richmond.gov.uk/ieDecisionDetails.aspx?AllId=38340>

The adopted Air Quality SPD and this Adoption Statement are available to view on the Council's website:

[https://www.richmond.gov.uk/supplementary\\_planning\\_documents\\_and\\_guidance](https://www.richmond.gov.uk/supplementary_planning_documents_and_guidance)

If you are unable to access the Air Quality SPD online, you can request a hard copy by emailing [LocalPlan@Richmond.gov.uk](mailto:LocalPlan@Richmond.gov.uk). Due to the implications of COVID-19 and the closure of all borough's libraries as well as the Civic Centre reception in Twickenham until further notice, the documents cannot be made available for inspection.

Any person with sufficient interest in the decision to adopt the Supplementary Planning Document listed above may apply to the High Court for permission to apply for judicial review of the Council's decision to adopt the SPD. Any such application must be made promptly and in any event not later than 3 months after the date on which this Supplementary Planning Document was adopted (2nd June 2020).