




**Leeds Road, Lofthouse  
Proposed S278 works  
Combined Stage 1-2 Road Safety Audit**

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# 1. Introduction and Background

## 1.1 PROJECT DETAILS

**Table 1.1 Project Details**

Report title	Combined Stage 1-2 Road Safety Audit
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## 1.2 INTRODUCTION

1.2.1 Optima Highways and Transportation Consultancy Ltd (Optima) has been appointed to undertake a combined Stage 1-2 Road Safety Audit of a proposed S278 works associated with an industrial development on land to the east of Leeds Road, Lofthouse.

1.2.2 The Road Safety Audit has been carried out by experienced Road Safety Engineers employed by Optima who are independent from the design. The Road Safety Audit Team membership consisted of:

**Martin Whittaker FIHE MSoRSA**

Road Safety Audit Team Leader (Director, Optima)

**Elizabeth Green BEng MSc CEng MICE FCIHT**

Road Safety Audit Team Member (Associate Director, Optima)

## 1.3 PREVIOUS ROAD SAFETY AUDITS

1.3.1 The Road Safety Audit Team has not been made aware of any previous Road Safety Audits.

## 1.4 SCHEME DETAILS

1.4.1 The proposed works include the formation of a new access onto Leeds Road and creation of a ghost island. The proposed access incorporates dropped kerbs and tactile paving to serve two small scale light industrial units.

1.4.2 The following drawings set out within Table 1.2 were provided to the Audit Team for the purposes of the Audit:

**Table 1.2 Drawings**

Designer	Drawing No.	Title
VIA Solutions	2111801 REV D	Section 278 Design
Mosodi	21022.ATR.02	Swept Path 9.62m Refuse Vehicle

1.4.3 The following additional information has also been supplied to the Road Safety Audit Team:

- Road Safety Audit Brief dated 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022 issued by VIA Solutions.



## 1.5 TERMS OF REFERENCE AND AUDIT DETAILS

1.5.1 This Road Safety Audit has been undertaken in accordance with GG 119 and a Road Safety Audit brief prepared by the Design Organisation.

1.5.2 The above plans and information have been examined prior to the site visit, analysed in detail on site and at the offices of Optima following the visit.

1.5.3 A Site visit was carried out by the Road Safety Audit Team on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022 between the hours of 14:50 and 15:15. The weather was fine/dry. Moderate to high traffic and pedestrian volumes were observed along Leeds Road.

1.5.4 The Road Safety Audit considers and reports only on the safety implications of the proposed scheme as presented and has not examined or verified the compliance of the designs to any other criteria.



## 2. Items Raised at Stage 1-2 Road Safety Audit

2.1.1 The Road Safety Audit Team did not identify any items of concern pertaining to road safety during the Combined Stage 1-2 Road Safety Audit.



### 3. Audit Team Statement

3.1.1 We certify this Road Safety Audit has been carried out in accordance with GG 119.

#### Road Safety Audit Team Leader

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Position: Director

Organisation: Optima Highways & Transportation Ltd

Date: 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022



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#### Road Safety Audit Team Member

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Date: 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022



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