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Thank you for your letter of 18 March which was helpful to the Committee.

The data provided on travel between London Euston and Manchester Piccadilly did not however cover fully our earlier request. The Committee would like to see the annual data, for 2014 to the present, for the following:

“total peak and off peak capacity and critical loads on train services arriving at and departing from London Euston on a typical autumn weekday.”

This was provided to the Committee for the years 2008 to 2013 in a letter from the former Transport Secretary, dated 19 November 2014.¹

We would be grateful if you could provide the data requested by 5 April.

The Rt Hon the Lord Forsyth of Drumlean
Chairman of the Economic Affairs Committee

¹ Letter from the Secretary of State for Transport to Lord Hollick (Annex A), 19 November 2014
<https://www.parliament.uk/documents/lords-committees/economic-affairs/Economic-case-for-HS2/McLoughlin-Chairman-20141119.pdf>