



Information about “Erwitte low-emission zone”

Voluntary commitment of companies in the area of
Lippstadt/Erwitte

Lippstadt, February 2014



Erwitte low-emission zone

Voluntary commitment of local companies to use alternative access routes to industrial sites and prevent the establishment of a low-emission zone

Dear Madam/Sir,

At and around the intersection of the B1/B55 in Erwitte, high levels of traffic mean the permissible nitrogen oxide emission limits, set out in European law, have been exceeded for many years. This could ultimately result in the establishment of a low-emission zone in May 2015.

Massive traffic restrictions, in particular affecting local companies, would be one consequence of this.

If the permissible annual average limit values are again exceeded within this calendar year, the establishment of a low-emission zone will be inevitable. Arnsberg Chamber of Industry and Commerce has drawn up alternative proposed routes in order to reduce the high level of road traffic at the intersection of the B1/B55 from January 2014 and to avert the establishment of a low-emission zone.

We at **HELLA KGaA Hueck und Co.** welcome the proposed alternative routing concept and ask you also to support this measure. By using the alternative routes, you would not just help to prevent an "Erwitte low-emission zone" but in bypassing the heavy traffic near the intersection, you could also optimize driving hours to add value to your business.

Please join many other companies in Erwitte and Lippstadt in supporting the alternative routing concept and use the routes marked on the enclosed overview map when driving to and from our following sites:

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We ask you to drive with particular care and foresight in the affected areas and to watch out for cyclists and pedestrians!

More information and details on the different routes can be found in the attachment and on the website of Arnsberg Chamber of Commerce, Hellweg-Sauerland, at the following address:
http://www.ihk-arnsberg.de/Luftreinhalteplan_Erwitte.HTM

Many thanks for your active assistance.



