

Statement

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Graham Morgan, Director of the South Wales Chamber, said: “The main artery running through Wales and the gateway to Wales is constantly clogged with traffic jam after traffic jam and this is not good news for business.

“We all knew there would be short term pain for long term gain when the upgrade of the motorway started but recent months have been unbearable for motorway users and this could have a knock on effect for business in Wales.

“We require a national infrastructure plan for all devolved Government on issues relating to improvements of key rails and roads and this is why we have launched our National Recovery Plan for Wales to tackle some of these issues facing business in Wales. Given the feedback of our members the proposals for a substitute relief road is not the answer and we really need this reviewed to produce a motorway fit for the future development of the principality. We also need a review of toll prices to be integrated into this proposal.”

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