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For the attention of the residents/occupants/traders in this building

Work in April and June weekends

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Regarding Work in April and June weekends

Dear residents, traders,

You have heard and read a lot about it, by now: since January, VITAL is doing foundation work for the split-level crossings at Kronenburg and Zonnestein. The first weekend of non-stop work by VITAL was in March. In this weekend, the deconstruction of the Kronenburg and Zonnestein stops was completed and the biggest chunk of the planned foundation work was done. Unfortunately, heavy rain hindered the installation of a number of anchors (for keeping pile walls and foundation piles in place) at Zonnestein.

We would like to update you on the work, taking place across two weekends in April and June. During these days, VITAL will yet again work non-stop, which will cause a considerable amount of noise.

Friday 12 April 19.00h-Monday 15 April 7.00h (non-stop work)

Tram 5 will be out of service on Saturday 13 and Sunday 14 April between Amsterdam South station and Amstelveen Stadshart. Replacement bus 45 will run between Amsterdam South station and Amstelveen's bus station. During this weekend, VITAL will do foundation work in the ballast and at the Kronenburg and Zonnestein intersections (foundation piles and anchors, which keep pile walls and foundation piles in place). It will also build a supporting structure for the road surfaces of the oblong-shaped roundabout at Zonnestein and replace a section of the tracks, north of the intersection at Kronenburg.

VITAL kicks off its work on Friday 12 April at 19.00h and continues, non-stop, until Monday 15 April at 7.00h. Unfortunately, this causes unavoidable noise. Road users will also be affected, as in this weekend the intersection at Zonnestein will be closed, to enable the work. The intersection at Kronenburg will remain open. Tram 5 will start running again, according to its timetable, on Monday morning 15 April at 5.35h. Transport of building materials will take place via the tracks, during the nights before and after the weekend. Track maintenance work may take place during the nights after the weekend. This will cause inconvenience in terms of noise.

Friday 19 April 19.00h-Tuesday 23 April 7.00h (non-stop work)

On Saturday 20, Sunday 21 and Monday 22 April (i.e. including Easter Monday) tram 5 will not run between Amsterdam South station and Amstelveen Stadshart. Replacement bus 45 will run between Amsterdam South station and Amstelveen's bus station. VITAL will make good use of this weekend for foundation work at Kronenburg and Zonnestein in the ballast and at the Kronenburg intersection, building a supporting structure for the road surfaces of the oblong-shaped roundabout at Kronenburg, and replacing a section of the tracks, south of the intersection at Zonnestein.

VITAL will commence its work on Friday 19 April at 19.00h and continue, non-stop, until Tuesday 23 April at 7.00h. Unfortunately, this causes unavoidable noise. Road users will also be affected, as in this weekend the intersection at Kronenburg will be closed, to enable the work. The intersection at Zonnestein will remain open. Tram 5 will start running again, according to its timetable, on Tuesday morning 23 April at 5.35h. Transport of building materials will take place via the tracks, during the nights before and after the weekend. Track maintenance work may take place during the nights after the weekend. This will cause inconvenience in terms of noise.

Friday 14 June 19.00h-Monday 17 June 7.00h (non-stop work)

On Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 June, tram 5 will not run between Amsterdam South station and Amstelveen Stadshart. Replacement bus 45 will run between Amsterdam South station and Amstelveen's bus station. VITAL is going to use this weekend for the excavation of basements, which will be used for catching and draining excess water, and preparing the summer weeks in which tram 5 will be out of service again. VITAL will make a start with all this on Friday 14 June at 19.00h and will continue, non-stop, until Monday 17 June at 7.00h. Unfortunately, this causes unavoidable noise. Road users will also be affected, as either the intersection at Kronenburg or the one at Zonnestein will be closed. Tram 5 will start running again, according to its timetable, on Monday morning 17 June at 5.35h. Transport of building materials will take place via the tracks, during the nights before and after the weekend. Track maintenance work may take place during the nights after the weekend. This will cause inconvenience in terms of noise.

Any questions?

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Kind regards,



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This letter has been distributed door-to-door in the areas around the Kronenburg and Zonnestein stops and can also be read on our website.

