

High Speed Rail (West Midlands - Crewe) Act 2021

2021 CHAPTER 2

Compulsory acquisition of land

4 **Power to acquire land compulsorily**

- (1) The Secretary of State may acquire compulsorily so much of the land within the Act limits as may be required for Phase 2a purposes.
- (2) Schedule 6 contains provision about the particular purposes for which land within the limits of land to be acquired or used may be acquired under subsection (1).
- (3) Part 1 of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965, so far as not inconsistent with this Act, applies to an acquisition of land under subsection (1)—
 - (a) as it applies to a compulsory purchase to which Schedule 1 to the Acquisition of Land Act 1981 applies, and
 - (b) as if this Act were a compulsory purchase order under that Act.
- (4) The Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981 applies as if this Act were a compulsory purchase order.
- (5) Schedule 7 contains further provision about the application of compulsory purchase legislation.