

Annex D

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Background Technical Reports

To support the development of the Spatial Strategy and Policy contained within this Regional Planning Guidance a number of key studies were commissioned.

Details of these studies can be obtained from the West Midlands Regional Assembly, Albert House, Quay Place, Edward Street, Birmingham B1 2RA. Telephone: 0121 678 1010 e-mail: info@wmlga.gov.uk