

Petition –

Presented by Mary Durcan

To be presented on Thursday, 13th September 2018

*To the Right Honourable The Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Commons
of the City of London in Common Council assembled.*

Petition:-

“We, the undersigned residents of the Barbican Estate, conscious of the Mayor’s and Deputy Mayor for Transport’s statement of “complete commitment” to reducing noise pollution arising from TfL’s underground trains and of the Chief Medical Officer’s 2018 identification of noise as second only to air quality as a health damaging pollutant, petition the Mayor to require Transport for London to produce proposals within three months, and to implement measures within six months thereafter, to reduce the high levels of noise and vibration pollution experienced in Barbican homes arising from trains on the sub-surface lines between Barbican and Moorgate stations. Noise levels should be reduced to below the level at which the World Health Organisation judges sleep to be disturbed: that is to a level of 40db outside homes (the equivalent of 19db inside homes).”

*[Signatures appended to the Petition at the time of receipt by the Town Clerk’s Office:
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Member presenting the Petition, pursuant to Standing Order No. 20:-

Mary Durcan

(Ward of Cripplegate)

Recommendation:-

That the Petition, having been submitted to the Mayor of London and now also being presented to the City of London Corporation, be referred to the Port Health and Environmental Services Committee for consideration.