

## **M.Phil Year 2 Translation 13TT Week 3**

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### **Keith Brown urges Boris Johnson to push for high-speed rail to Scotland**

1. It is estimated taking the new line north of the border could cut as much as two hours from journey times between Glasgow and London.
2. The first phase of the new rail link, known as HS2, will end at Birmingham.
3. There is no better way for these new council leaders to prove they are progressive and working for the future of their local areas than to show their support for a high-speed rail line which would benefit the whole of the UK.
4. He added: "I have issued this invitation to show that Scotland is more than capable of taking the lead on innovation and partnership working, and because most local authorities north of London have already voiced their support for our proposals."

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-scotland-politics-17970151>