

HS2 minister since 2020, Andrew Stephenson, changes duties

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Andrew Stephenson has been appointed to be the Co-Chairman of the Conservative party – and is now a minister without portfolio. He will attend cabinet.

Andrew Stephenson was appointed HS2 minister back in 2020 during a cabinet reshuffle, as well as having duties for the Transpennine Route Upgrade and [Northern Powerhouse Rail](#) projects.

The change in duties follows Boris Johnson announcing his resignation, which had been triggered by a series of resignations as well as a delegation of MPs – including Grant Shapps – urging him to resign.

Trudy Harrison has been appointed a transport minister.