## **Biography: John FAULKNER**

John Faulkner is Head of International Networks at the Department for Transport. John is responsible for long-term transport strategy for the UK's International Transport Networks, covering aviation and maritime sectors including the surface access connections to international gateways.

Prior to taking up this role in May 2007, John was the Performance Director for Traffic Operations at the Highways Agency. His responsibilities included network operations on the strategic road network in England, overseeing an annual budget of £1.2bn in support of highways asset management and operations. This role included overseeing delivery of UK government target on improving journey time reliability on the highway network. John is a Chartered Civil Engineer and is married with 2 young children.