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Dear Mr Burges

Thank you for your letter of 7th June.

The Vision Zero South West partnership is currently in the process of reviewing its strategy for the coming years. I will draw to them your concerns over the drink drive laws.

There continues to appear to be no political appetite in Westminster to change the drink/ drug drive limit laws.

You will be aware that drink/drug driving is one of the Fatal Five behaviours most often represented in fatal road crashes. The Fatal Five is included in the current VZSW strategy and intoxicated driving is included in the Police Road Safety Strategy.

The Commissioner's Police and Crime Plan includes priorities of road safety and drugs. Cracking down on drug use and supply should also improve road safety outcomes.

Yours sincerely



Richard Martin
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