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Eich cyf/Your ref P-06-1409  
Ein cyf/Our ref LW/00547/24

Jack Sargeant MS  
Chair - Petitions committee

10 May 2024

Dear Jack,

Thank you for your letter of 18 March, addressed to the previous Deputy Minister for Climate Change, regarding Petition P-06-1409 – Cease all further planning for road charging in Wales.

As we have said in response to questions, we have no plans to introduce road user charging on the strategic trunk road network. I hope this helps to clarify our position.

Powers to implement universal road charging and to retain revenues are held by the UK Secretary of State for Transport.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ken', with a long, sweeping flourish above the name.

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