

The diesel supplement has demonstrated it is incompatible with the linked objectives of supporting growth and jobs in our fantastic automotive industry, and reducing air pollution and carbon emissions.

We urge you, therefore, to drop the failed diesel supplement in favour of a reformed system of VED bands that reflects the performance of different vehicles in relation to carbon and other emissions rather than arbitrary distinctions between engine types. It is also vital that a reformed system should not contain perverse incentives which discourage people from switching to new, cleaner and more fuel efficient vehicles in practice.

It is important to address this issue as a matter of urgency to protect the UK car industry, it's major contribution to our economy and to arrest the increase in CO2 emissions.

We look forward to your response.

Kind Regards,



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