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## Dear Pierre Dreux-Monfont D'avaugour

Thank you for your email of 2 January about electric highways, this has been passed to me in the Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV) for reply.

As you might already be aware, this Government is aiming for almost all cars and vans o or roads being zero emission vehicles by 2050. This is the long term solution to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and improving our air quality.

We have adopted a technology neutral stance and we welcome any innovative thinking that will facilitate the ongoing decarbonisation of road transport. I have passed your correspondence to colleagues within OLEV who work on electric vehicle charging infrastructure policy for consideration.

You might be interested in being aware of the work and support we are providing to encourage the uptake of electric vehicles, detailed information about this is accessible here:

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/office-for-low-emission-vehicles

Yours sincerely,

John McVeagh.