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Dear Sadiq,

Thank you for your letter, also signed by the Rt Hon Ben Wallace MP, seeking my Department's support in allowing suitable vehicles to be donated to Ukraine through the ULEZ scrappage scheme and for raising certain barriers you have identified.

As Russia's barbaric invasion of Ukraine nears its second anniversary, it is vital the UK stands at the forefront of supporting both Ukraine's government and its people in its valiant fight.

Given your ULEZ expansion scrappage scheme has been in effect since August 2023, I am surprised that you have not made contact until now given the clear opportunity that your scrappage scheme could provide in allowing roadworthy vehicles to be sent to Ukraine.

The Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities has written to you seeking clarity from you on precisely what legal barriers you believe you face.

Once you have provided this further information, my officials will of course be ready to support in identifying options to resolve this matter.

I am copying this letter to the Secretaries of State for Defence and Levelling Up, Housing and Communities.

Yours sincerely,

Mark Harper

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SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TRANSPORT