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Dear Edward

[PE1992: Dual the A9 and improve road safety](#)

As Convener of the Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee, I am writing to update the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee on our consideration of petition PE1992.

At our meeting on [22 February 2023](#), the CPPP Committee agreed to invite the petitioner and the Minister for Transport to give oral evidence on this petition. We also agreed to invite written evidence from a number of stakeholders.

The Committee has also now agreed, at [our meeting on 19 April](#), to invite oral evidence from the Civil Engineering and Contractors Association and from Transport Scotland.

As the issues raised by this petition fall within the remit of the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee, I wanted to make you aware of our intention to hold these initial evidence sessions, and to invite you to consider nominating a reporter (under Rule 12.6) from your Committee to attend the CPPP Committee and contribute to future considerations of petition PE1992.

If your committee agrees to appoint a reporter, I would be grateful if you could let my Committee's clerks know who that is by 17 May 2023. The next step would then be for the two clerking teams to liaise on arrangements for these evidence sessions.

Should you, or any of your team, have any queries on the above then please contact petitions.committee@parliament.scot.

Yours sincerely,

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