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Dear Dr Skinner

A690 LEAZES ROAD, DURHAM CITY SOUTHBOUND BUS STOPS

You wrote to me in November concerning the lack of lighting in the subway at the Leazes Road Underpass and water ponding at the nearby bus shelters.

With regard to the issue of the subway lighting, I cannot presently add very much to my letter of 13th November, other than to state that funding details have now been received and have turned out to be more encouraging than anticipated hitherto; consideration is now being given to which elements of the Durham City Package to include in the allocated funding for the coming year.

The problem of standing water at the bus stop will take some time to resolve, owing to the flat gradients involved and the precise road surface levels required. The importance of an early remedy is acknowledged and arrangements will shortly be made to prepare the necessary work and to adjust the current budget commitments to enable it to be undertaken.

Yours sincerely

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