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**Subject:** FW: In the matter of Fatima Abukar (ref: 17666488) Regulation 28 (Preventing Future Deaths) report

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Subject: Re: In the matter of Fatima Abukar (ref: 17666488) Regulation 28 (Preventing Future

Deaths) report

Dear Stephanie,

Thank you for reaching out. I am sad to learn about that event that I was unaware of before you reached out to us.

The user of the vehicle was underage, recklessly driving, on the wrong side of the road, without protection. The fact that she was using a scooter is completely irrelevant, she could have been using a bicycle as well, or just running on her own legs.

We would advise that the government takes the important decision of legalising the scooters, to introduce proper laws and regulations.

Protective gear should be compulsory as well as third-party insurance.

The government has been delaying the legislation at the same time allowing rented scooters on the street. That causes a lot of confusion. The UK commuters have spoken and have expressed interest in a new, eco-friendly, personal transport being properly introduced and legalised in the country.

Sadly the incident is not at the fault of the vehicle but the user.

Kind regards, Patryk Radek