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Dear Susan,

During the Oral Question on 19 March about the safety of commercial vehicles, you asked about the number of people killed on roads last year by Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGVs). I am writing to provide further information on this issue.

In Great Britain during 2023, the latest year for which national road casualty data is currently available, there were 188 people killed in collisions involving at least one HGV. Of these, 14 were occupants of HGVs, with the remainder being other road users.

I am copying this letter to all Noble Lords who spoke in the debate and will place a copy in the Library of the House.

Yours Sincerely,

**The Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill CBE**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR RAIL**