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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

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Thank you for your request for information relating to 20mph speed limit on restricted roads.

You have requested the following information:

1. Do you have plans in place to make 20mph the norm or default speed limit for most restricted roads?

No, 20 mph speed limits are used within the city according to the nature of the area. For example, the entire central district, broadly within the ring road, is a 20mph zone, and 20 limits are also in place at many of our schools, residential areas and local and district centres.

2. Have you requested the UK Government to set 20mph as the default speed limit for restricted roads in England?

No.

3. Are you committed to Vision Zero as part of your traffic/transport strategy?

Our Transport Strategy was approved in December 2022 and can be viewed using the following link:

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/transportstrategy>

Improving the safety of our transport system is at the core of the strategy, alongside promoting

improved health of our population.

In terms of specific targets, we are working with the West Midlands Combined Authority on an update to the Regional Road Safety Strategy and that will contain the specific targets relating to reducing casualties, currently a 40% reduction by 2028 in KSI (killed and seriously injured) casualties against the 2015-17 average.

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Yours faithfully

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