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Comment

**Document Element:** EC12: Sustainable transport

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**Summary:**

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**Full text:**

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**Change suggested by respondent:**

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**Legally compliant:** Not specified

**Sound:** Not specified

**Comply with duty:** Not specified

**Attachments:** None