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Dear William,

Thank you for your letter of 22 March regarding a petition received from Chepstow Town Council about the speed limit on the A48 Chepstow Bridge.

I appreciate the depth of feeling from the Town Council and the pupils of Wyedean School wanting the speed limit reduced to 30mph on the bridge and safety barriers erected on the pavement.

It is not possible to erect barriers on the pavement, as this would restrict the use of the pavement due to the narrow width of it.

The Wye Bridge forms the border with England so I cannot unilaterally reduce the speed limit. However, we are conducting a speed limit review of all our trunk roads and completion of the A48 review is due by the end of June.

I will write to you with an update in July.

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