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Dear Jonathan

Re: Volkswagen Camera Tracking Vehicle - RK60 OEB

Following 5 years of close partnership working between the Metropolitan Police Film Unit and your company, Jonathon Dennis Ltd, we were very pleased to be able to visit your premises to see first-hand, your Tracking Vehicle based on a Volkswagen Transporter Quad Cab Chassis.

I can confirm that the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) Film Unit is very impressed with the VW and your attention to safety in the design and fit of this vehicle. I have a good understanding of the film and television industry's needs when filming on the highway and the health and safety aspects of this work. The HSE have always had guidelines to tracking work and we have also become very aware of the right and wrong way of doing things. In particular we are always concerned with the risk of injury that this work can present to cast, crew and general public. Your vehicle provides many control measures to reduce or even eradicate those risk factors and to enable crews to work safely and within the traffic laws of the UK.

The MPS therefore fully endorse the use of this vehicle in London in line with our guidelines. Although there are clearly further aspects of tracking work we would wish to consult with film and TV makers about, we trust you will refer those customers to us when their activity is more involved and of further concern to yourselves. I can only congratulate you on the inspiration around the development of this vehicle and trust we can continue our good working relationship with yourselves in the years

Yours sincerely,

ahead.

James Waller

James Waller Head of MPS Film Unit