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Dear Joel,

I am writing further to your recent written question regarding what percentage of the South Wales Metro will be made up of buses.

Of the 131 million public transport trips per year in Wales, 75% are by bus and 24% by rail. Due to rail trips being longer, if you consider travel on a passenger kilometres or average trip basis then the figures are 60% rail and 40% bus.

The South East Wales Metro Programme is being developed with a combination of Bus and Rail enhancements, as well as improved active travel access to public transport services, reflecting the priorities of our new Wales Transport Strategy, Llwybr Newydd.

Yours sincerely

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