

Item no 5.7

QUESTION NO 7

**By Councillor Hutchison for answer
by the Convener of the Transport and
Environment Committee at a meeting
of the Council on 23 August 2018**

In response to my motion on Kirkliston Congestion at the Full Council meeting on 24th August 2017, a coalition amendment was passed which included the following;

To acknowledge that a lack of adequate public transport provision was a major contributory factor to current congestion levels and agree to continue dialogue with Lothian Buses around introducing a direct service to the City Centre.

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| Question | (1) Can the Convener please advise what actions she has taken over the past year to secure a direct Lothian Bus Service for Kirkliston? |
| Answer | (1) |
| Question | (2) Does the Convener accept that these efforts have been a failure? |
| Answer | (2) |
| Question | (3) Given recent announcements of a further diminished service to the village from third party providers, what does the Convener now intend to do to secure this much needed service and to finally put the residents of Kirkliston on a par with the rest of our city? |
| Answer | (3) |