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Chief Inspector Jon Kirby
Sevenoaks District Commander
Kent Police
C/O Sutton Road
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ME15 9BZ

Dear Chief Inspector,

For many weeks I have been in contact with residents in Marlpit Hill, Edenbridge, regarding the urgent need for additional road safety measures at the junction of B2026 Main Road, Hilders Lane and Hillcrest Road. I have enclosed a copy of a letter I have sent to Kent County Council regarding this matter, in response to the letter I received on 7 August 2020.

As you can see, residents are very concerned about the lack of suitable road safety measures at this junction and with Kent Police's responsibility for enforcing the current speed limit, I would appreciate it if you could address what measures Kent Police have been using to ensure that drivers comply with the existing speed limit. You will no doubt be aware that there was yet another accident yesterday which Officers, along with paramedics, had to be called out to.

I would be grateful if you could answer these concerns and let me know what steps you are taking to resolve this. Understandably, local residents are keen to see the number of accidents and speeding vehicles reduce at this dangerous junction.

I look forward to hearing back from you.

*Best wishes,
Tom Tugendhat*

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