

QUESTION NO 23

**By Councillor Rust for answer by the
Convener of the Transport and
Environment Committee at a meeting
of the Council on 24 June 2021**

Question

The Convener was quoted in the Edinburgh Evening News as stating *inter alia*: “45 per cent of the people in this city do not have access to a car”.

However, in the Council’s statistically representative market research sample, only 167 out of 583 people said they had no access to a car. That is only 29%.

Is the 45% quoted incorrect or this sample not statistically representative?

Answer