

Press Release

From DriveElectric

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## **EVs to have zero BIK rates from 2020**

Response from Mike Potter, managing director of DriveElectric:

"At DriveElectric we're pleased that at last the HMRC has taken notice of the advice from the fleet industry.

By making this positive change, HMRC are increasing accessibility to EVs and enabling the industry to grow. Company cars turn into cars which feed the used car market, which in turn make EVs more available and affordable for consumers. This decision from HMRC could kick start a pure EV uptake.

Now is the time for auto manufacturers to provide vehicles at the right price so the industry can take full advantage of this incentive.

From our research we know that the infrastructure for charging is not an issue for the majority of prospective EV users who can charge at home. Most EVs only require one daily charge: range anxiety is now a thing of the past.

Finally, EV availability is a myth. We are ready and look forward to the demand and increase in transition to EVs from companies and business owners."

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### **About DriveElectric:**

DriveElectric is based in Marlow, Buckinghamshire and has been the UK's leading provider of leased ultra-low emission vehicle. Providing both business and personal vehicle leasing solutions for all makes and models of vehicle, DriveElectric delivers expertise, impartial advice and excels in engaging customers in support of a low carbon transport future.

Since 2008 DriveElectric has put over 3,000 electric vehicles on the UK roads for consumers and businesses. From impressive green beginnings when DriveElectric funded the UK's first Tesla Roadster, the company has grown to become an award-winning independent market leader provider, research bank and advisor on electric vehicles and EV charging.

DriveElectric are experts in vehicle grid to grid technology through their involvement in world leading projects Electric Nation and My Electric Avenue.

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