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Subject: Continued strengthening of the EU Solidarity Lanes to support Ukraine

In response to Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine, the Commission launched the EU-Ukraine Solidarity Lanes in May 2022, the purpose being to establish logistics routes and enable trade in Ukrainian goods to continue¹. The Solidarity Lanes have been very effective. In two years, they have allowed Ukraine to export around 162 million tonnes of goods. The total value of trade via the Solidarity Lanes is estimated at around EUR 192 billion².

Continued support for Ukraine in every sector is crucial for ensuring the country's resilience, and the Solidarity Lanes highlight the importance of functioning infrastructure in this regard. In light of this:

1. How does the Commission plan to strengthen the Solidarity Lanes between the EU and Ukraine?
2. What other measures does the Commission plan to take in order to meet Ukraine's infrastructure needs?

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¹ https://transport.ec.europa.eu/news-events/news/european-commission-establish-solidarity-lanes-help-ukraine-export-agricultural-goods-2022-05-12_en.

² https://commission.europa.eu/topics/eu-solidarity-ukraine/eu-assistance-ukraine/eu-ukraine-solidarity-lanes_en.