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Balearic government hits the slow lane with diesel vehicle plan

- Car dealerships say that plan could break European Union guidelines.
- Plan would mean the phasing out of diesel vehicles by 2025.
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Fears that British and German tourists could go to “cheaper” holiday destinations



British tourists are welcomed back to Tunisia this week. There are now fears that British and German tourists could snub the Balearics and go to cheaper holiday destinations in Turkey and North Africa: **See inside.**

Oxfam sex abuse criticism disproportionate, chief executive says

Oxfam's chief executive said criticism of the charity following a sex abuse scandal had been disproportionate, according to comments published yesterday.

In an interview with British daily the *Guardian*, Mark Goldring again apologised over allegations of sexual abuse by Oxfam staff in Haiti, which broke last week and have shaken the whole aid sector.

“(But) the intensity and ferocity of the attacks makes you wonder, what did we do? We murdered babies in their cots?,” he was quoted as saying.

“Certainly the scale and intensity of the attacks feels out of proportion to the level of culpability.”

UK-based Oxfam, one of the world’s biggest disaster relief charities, has neither confirmed nor denied the Haiti allegations but has said an internal investigation in 2011 confirmed unspecified sexual misconduct occurred.

It has also agreed not to bid for any new state funding until Britain’s government is satisfied the charity meets appropriate ethical standards, development minister Penny Mordaunt said on Friday.