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The UK's two top-selling cars in Fiesta and Focus benefit from new Ford security technology which disables their keyless entry fobs when not in use to block illegal hacking.



A new motion sensor inside the Ford fob detects when it has been stationary for longer than 40 seconds and triggers a sleep mode, which will not respond to attempts to hack its signal via a “relay box” or through the misuse of other specialist equipment.

**The Severn Tunnel will be closed over Easter weekend as part of continuing works to electrify the main railway line between Bristol Parkway and Newport.**

From Good Friday to Easter Monday **replacement buses will operate** between the stations for trains from London Paddington and trains from Portsmouth Harbour and



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Taunton to Cardiff will also terminate in Bristol.

**Stagecoach says it is “extremely concerned” after the Department for Transport (DfT) barred it from three UK rail franchise bids.**

The DfT says the bids for the East Midlands, South Eastern and West Coast franchises were “non-compliant” because they did not meet pensions rules.