Complete the essay. Use one word in each gap.

(11) .... the damaging effects of the motor car are well known, the number of vehicles on the road is growing rapidly. In 1950 there were fewer than 50 million cars in use round the world (12) .... in 2006 there were almost 33 million cars in the UK alone. Let's examine some problems associated with the car and a possible solution.

(13) .... of all, more people are killed in accidents involving cars than any other form of transport. (14) .... , road accidents receive less attention from the media than other less common but more spectacular accidents.

In (15) .... , the car is a major cause of pollution and petrol emissions are damaging to our health and to the environment (16) .... well. (17) .... spite of this, car sales continue to grow. Unfortunately, it seems that (18) .... concern for ourselves (19) .... concern for the planet will convince us to change our habits.

An obvious answer to the problem is better public transport. (20) .... public transport were cheaper, more comfortable and more reliable, we would be less inclined to use the car. But we need to act (21) .... it is too late. We must change our attitudes and priorities (22) .... that future generations can live in a better world.

Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first, using the word in bold. Use between two and five words.

o   They believe that skin cancer will cause more deaths in the coming years.
believed
It ....*is believed that skin cancer*.... will cause more deaths in the coming years.

1   People think that he is living in South America. **be**
He .... in South America.

2   They expect that the repairs will take three to five weeks. **that**
It .... the repairs will take three to five weeks.

3   People say that she left the country months ago. **have**
She .... the country months ago.

4   They think that the manager will resign. **is**
It .... the manager will resign.

5   Experts believe that the house was built in 1735. **been**
The house .... built in 1735.

6   The accident is reported to have been caused by human error. **that**
It is reported .... by human error.