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**Research Director**  
**Infrastructure, Planning and Natural Resources Committee**  
Parliament House  
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Dear Sir/Madam

**Transport Legislation (Taxi Services) Amendment Act 2015**  
**Introduced by Mr Rob Katter on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2015**

**I SUPPORT THE KATTER BILL**

I have worked in the Taxi Industry for the past 20 years. The Taxi Industry has helped me put my children thru school and university. We are law abiding citizens, we work hard and pay our taxes and abide by the laws we faced with on a daily basis. I am appalled that an illegal organisation is allowed to operate and could possibly take away my livelihood, my means to house, clothe support, AND feed myself and my family.

I implore you to consider and pass the Katter Bill and to look at all the thousands of lives that will be affected if the illegal 'Ride Share' organisation takes over, we in the Taxi Industry are one huge family and most of us have worked together for years. Many of the staff members, Owners, Operators and Drivers have been here longer than I have, I am still new after 20 years in the Industry.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

Yours truly,



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