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To: [Infrastructure, Planning and Natural Resources Committee](#)
Subject: SUBMISSIONS TRANSPORT LEGISLATION (TAXI SERVICES)
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Good afternoon,

I agree with the Bill to increase penalties, to deter Illegal Taxi Services.

My reasons.

My father is an independent retiree, the revenue he receives from leasing out his Taxi License, is his only source of income, this is endangering his income and at his age he shouldn't have any worries after paying taxes, paying the transport department, also paying for any upgrades to the Taxi's requested of him.

This seems like a punch in the face, you and your life don't matter with our decision, thanks for helping shape this wonderful country of ours, but we will do what we want.

The governments that make these decisions, clearly, not thinking of the bigger picture, how this will impact:

- (1) Who this will impact on.
- (2) How this will change lives
- (3) Is this viable and how this will affect the way all Taxi Services operate
- (4) Will this new taxi service be made to comply with all rules, pay taxes and safety regulations?
- (5) How safe are the clients using these services.

I have no confidence in any of our governments to make the right decisions, in the past and clearly the future anything with a \$ amount wins.

Governments forget they are employed by us the Australian people not the rest of the world.

It's time we, the Australian people benefit from all decisions made on our behalf.

This can be published but I request my name withheld.

Kind Regards,

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