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To: [Public Works and Utilities Committee](#)
Subject: Transport and Other Legislation (Personalised Transport Reform) Amendment Bill 2017
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Hi,

To whom it may concern,

Following the regulation which is under being processed to put some restrictions and expenses on Uber drivers, I would like to share my story and reason why I am driving.

I am an engineer, mechanical engineer who has been working 14 years in oil & gas industry in Iran and Australia. Dedicated to engineering and major projects.

Now after decline of oil and gas prices, and followed with a quiet engineering market, I lost my job and am unable to find a job even casual job, even low profile jobs, even non-engineering ones.

I decided to drive Uber to earn money to afford family's cost of living which is so expensive in Australia. As this is not my profession, but at least I could earn money not to sell my house or my furniture to earn money. It is my only cash flow and revenue.

Now, I heard that government is working on bill to make driving Uber more expensive and restricted. I don't understand why the government makes it complicated, But I just know that many engineers and professionals drive Uber to make life going and if you government do make it complicated, it will ended up with unpleasant consequences on people's lives.

Hope you understand us how hard is driving car to make money rather than doing our own profession which have been invested years.

for any question about this email, I will be contacted on [REDACTED]

Regards

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