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Dear Tony Ireland (Manager)

We the Hackney Carriage Trade are petitioning to oppose the increase in the driver and vehicle licensing fees. We are enclosing a petition signed by the Hackney Carriage trade. We strongly disagree with your decision to increase the fee as we are struggling to meet existing fees.

We would also like to request the council to deduct the charge of £50 from the vehicle licensing fee, as this fee was originally set up to pay for the "unmet demand" survey, but as you are aware the survey has been completed over two years, but we are still being charged this fee. In this current financial climate we cannot afford all these additional increases in the licensing fees.

Yours Sincerely,



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