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Dear the Secretary,  
Legislative Council, Economy and Infrastructure Committee,  
Parliament House, Spring Street,  
EAST MELBOURNE VIC 3002

I am writing to complain about my two taxi license plates which I have lost substantial amounts of hard earned money over my entire working life. These taxi license plates were going to be our financial security for when we retire, our future income. Which now is obviously not the case.

The saddest part is my wife and I purchased the 1 of the 2 taxi license plates from our superannuation fund which cost us \$290k and the other taxi plate cost us \$260k and I am saddened to say in 2-3 years we lost \$350k of our future money. The two taxi license plates were bringing us income each month, and now we have also lost that income that belonged to us as well. This issue has made my family deeply hurt and saddened. Now we have much less money to depend on. At my age, I should be resting with my wife and enjoying retirement but this isn't the case. This major issue has affected us mentally and financially and I am very passionate to get a winning result. I would love to have my lost money back like all the other taxi plate holders.

Out of both the taxi license plates, I only received \$100k back. It felt like a cold joke, all my hard earned money of decades was gone.

Our Superannuation is gone as well because 1 of the 2 taxi plates was purchased from my superannuation fund. My hardship to raise my family and money over 30 years of hard work has now gone to total waste.  
We would like to be compensated in full for the loss in our original investment.

Yours sincerely

Kamil Ongoren