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BAINISTEOIR CONTAE

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Re: National Maximum Taxi Fare Revision.

Dear Mr Horan,

As you are aware, section 42 of the Taxi Regulation Act 2003 empowers the Commission for Taxi Regulation to make a *Maximum Fares Order* fixing the maximum fares that may be charged by the driver of a taxi in respect of any taximeter area.

The Commission now proposes to exercise its power under this section by making a new *Maximum Fares Order* to be effective throughout the country. The 2003 Act requires that any local authority within whose functional area the taximeter area applies is consulted as part of this process. I wish to formally seek the views of your local authority in relation to the setting of a new *Maximum Fares Order*.

To assist you in your deliberations, I enclose for your information and consideration, the Commission for Taxi Regulation's Consultation Paper No. 5 – *National Maximum Taxi Fare Revision*.

The Commission is carrying out a public consultation process in relation to taxi fares and has also sought submissions from the Advisory Council to the Commission and the Legal Metrology Service as required under the 2003 Act. The closing date for submissions is 5.00 pm on Friday the 13th of June 2008.



If you feel the Commission can be of any further assistance, please let me know.

I look forward to receiving your submission.

Yours sincerely,

KATHLEEN DOYLE

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