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Hi, I refer to the latest document about the taxi fare decrease on radio. I would like to inform you about some of the costing of keeping the taxi on the road.

- 1. Total cost of the taxi is \$70,000 to \$75,000 per annum and the is not including the other costs for example petrol, or the maintenance of the taxi.
- 2. The above cost only includes the following, comprehensive insurance cost from \$4000 to \$10,000, and green slip cost \$5,500 and this has only been increased recently from \$4,500.
- 3. \$800 radio fees per month and that's another cost.
- 4. The cost of a luxury car is \$35,000 to \$50,000 per year.
- 5. Costing of a NSW government license plate is \$36,000 per year.

Not entirely sure where the media is getting the information from as the above costs are what the driver needs to provide prior to make and financial progress.

Thank you