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Submission: I am 72 years old. I just like to lodge an objection to the proposed increase of Opal Gold cost from \$2.50 to \$9 pp per day. I have worked over 50 years and paid my taxes every year, never unemployed, never have family trust or any other tax schemes to avoid paying my fair dues to the Government. I saved and saved so THE Government does not have to pay me pension, my Gold Opal is the only concession I have. I enjoy going out in the city, as I never had time to do this while working so hard. Please don't be unfair, please review the politicians Gold Card and other perks to balance your budget.

If travel becomes more expensive and we will just be sitting at home, watching TV. We will get sick and costing more for the Government to keep us alive and that will not balance the budget either. **HANDS OFF THE GOLD OPAL!**