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**Subject:** FARE INCREASE

To Whom it may concern,

I have not seen a significant improvement (if any!!!!) in the service to warrant a ticket price increase. It is not fair. You keep promising more services and more lines...then keep backing out. What exactly is this fare increase going towards?

Each morning for the last few years I have paid to suffer through 2 train trips a day in which I am so squashed I can hardly breathe. The carriage heats up and I feel faint, but there is nowhere for me to sit, let alone a place for the many elderly and pregnant passengers along with mothers with prams that also do not get a seat.

Myself and many other communters will be bitterly disappointed if we are forced to pay an even higher and more unreasonable and unfair ticket price than the one we already have to pay.

A Sydney commuter.