

From: s.22  
Sent: Sunday, March 5, 2017 3:12 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Cc: Transportation, Minister TRAN:EX  
Subject: Uber, autonomous vehicles and the Deas Island bridge

Dear Madame Premier.

I am relieved that your government is seriously looking at making Uber or any ridesharing entity legal in British Columbia. I find it ironic that the mayor and city council of Vancouver are so against it when it will certainly curb greenhouse gases, something that they are so much for. I read recently that we could have autonomous vehicles on our roads as early as 2020 and that they will be in general use by 2025, especially in trucking. This will lead to reduced car ownership and increased ride sharing. Why own a car if for a few dollars you can have the same convenience at a fraction of the cost. Millennials will be one group to embrace this whole heartedly, as will I.

The reason I bring this up is that I am concerned that the provincial government will be spending billions of my tax dollars on the Deas Island bridge and infrastructure that will become a white elephant in just a few years, just like the Golden Ears bridge is now. Has there been any discussion on this? And a new Patullo bridge will certainly become unnecessary.

Please let me know your government's thoughts on this matter.

Sincerely yours.

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From: s.22  
Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 5:51 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Cc: Minister, CSCD CSCD:EX  
Subject: Re: Uber, autonomous vehicles and the Deas Island bridge

Thank you.

I appreciate your reply.

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From: s.22  
Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 12:26 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; mayorandcouncil@vancouver.ca;  
contact@bcliberals.com  
Subject: Regarding Ride-Sharing and Uber

Further to my email a year ago to the BC Liberal party, I would also like to make an additional comment regarding today's announcements.

To re-iterate, my concerns around ride sharing are:

- \* Insurance and Liability
- \* Keeping investments and profits in BC
- \* Impact on funds for public transit
- \* Congestion
- \* Pollution
- \* Access

What my concerns are NOT about:

- \* Status Quo, keeping innovation away from BC
- \* Protectionism around existing taxi companies

As the BC government and Metro Vancouver develops policies around ride-sharing, please take this and other concerns into detailed deliberation.

Also, there have been much scrutiny about the illegal and unethical issues specifically around Uber. Please also take this into account.

- 1.) Uber has a program to identify enforcement officers and stealthily prevent them from successfully hailing cars, to help drivers avoid sanctions  
<http://www.nytimes.com/2017/03/03/technology/uber-greyball-program-evade-authorities.html>
- 2.) Interviews with 30+ current and former Uber employees depict an unrestrained work culture; Uber also faces 3+ lawsuits over sexual harrassment or verbal abuse  
<http://www.nytimes.com/2017/02/22/technology/uber-workplace-culture.html>
- 3.) Dashcam video showing Uber CEO Travis Kalanick lecture "bankrupt" driver about "responsibility" emerges at difficult moment for the company  
<http://www.techmeme.com/170228/p21#a170228p21>

Thanks for reading.

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From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 10:09 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: Uber

From: s.22  
Sent: March 8, 2017 7:34 AM  
To: Clark.MLA, Christy  
Subject: Uber

Hi Christy,  
Are you going to welcome  
Uber to Vancouver?

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From: s.22  
Sent: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 7:31 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Uber

Hi Christy,  
I certainly hope so,'cause  
I want to work for Uber.  
I am the Uber Driver & Lover.

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From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 12:47 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; Fassbender.MLA, Peter LASS:EX

Subject: UBER

You Liberals sink lower then low. Fassbender you are as lousy a Translink minister as Christy is Premier. What a way to BUY more votes.

The taxi industry has begged for new licenses for years. But NO WAY. So now you give us the BULLSHIT about modernizing the taxi industry. Makes on think "what did they do to get in there". The other day on the news the Green Party suggested there is CORRUPTION in your government with the lobbyists paying homage to the Liberal bank account. I have an answer for it. GET THE HELL OUT, WE HAVE NO USE FOR NONE OF YOU. Again Christy your bullshit about helping home buyers seniors middle class is nothing more then political rhetoric. The other night you were doing a photo op so we turned the voice off and got just as much out of it.

NOTHING you say interests us. You are old place and you are wasteful as hell. If I ran my finances like you do I would be bankrupt. What YOU did to ICBC will cost us hard working people a bundle. Skimming is stealing.

Scamming is underhanded and allowing those "foreign buyers" to buy up OUR province is disgusting and disgraceful. Do you Liberals ever look in the mirror? I guess not it would crack. Lies Lies and more Lies. WHAT KIND OF PEOPLE ARE YOU? Remember you are NOTHING more then a public servant. And I am sick of paying for you to live off of me.

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PS Take that damn Cadieux and Bond with you.

From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 2:52 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Fassbender.MLA, Peter LASS:EX; todd.stone.MLA@leg.bc.ca; Anton.MLA, Suzanne LASS:EX; Lake.MLA, Terry LASS:EX; deJong.MLA, Mike LASS:EX; Bond.MLA, Shirley LASS:EX

Subject: Let's vote on ridesharing legislation

[Tell the Premier and Cabinet Ministers why you want them to pass a law and welcome Uber to BC. Don't forget to include your postal code!]

Respected Sir/Madam,

We shall be very thankful to you, because you have take the right decision regarding Uber.

All public and all drivers are happy to know that Uber is coming to B.C.

Thanks,

With Warm regards,

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From: s.22

Sent: Thursday, March 9, 2017 7:19 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: UBER & Taxis

Hi Premier,

RE: UBER & Taxis

From listening to CKNW Radio, I see that your government is pledging to allow UBER and similar companies to operate in BC by December 2017.

I congratulate you in this but I have a few suggestions:

- a) Immediately convert all Taxi Cab licences in BC to be BC wide; allow all existing taxi cabs to pick up and drop off passengers throughout BC.
- b) Immediately auction off the three times the number of existing BC wide taxi cab licences to meet demand throughout the Province.
- c) In creating the legislation to allow UBER and like services, compel them to provide detailed information on their drivers earnings (like T4s for taxes) to match up their reported earnings with UBER filings to ensure everyone is paying their fair share of taxes.
- d) See about creating legislation to tax UBER and airBnB etc for the revenue they earn in BC and pay BC Income Tax to fund our roads and eliminate our tolls.

If you need to write to me, here is my address:

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Thank you for your time.

From: s.22  
Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 5:04 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: REGARDING UBER

Hi Christy : my name is s.22  
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s.22 .now I know you  
have obligation to listen people as well as to run party need money through kick backs etc  
etc issuing permit s with out proper information. For the last 5 years we I mean VTA ( VANCOUVER taxi association) crying for more permit s as people need more  
services but thanks to your PTB I have no idea may be under your orders never listen and  
people crying out loud to make skytrain run 24 hours on weekends but no vail. Now  
comes to Uber first your minister Mr Fassbender told us that it would be on fair ground to  
allow Uber check reality is it true or false and I afraid to say false .why for us go  
through level 1 and 2 taxi host programs why we have to  
go through criminal check every year we were have to show icbc abstract why???? Why we  
have to pay 13000 insurance why ??? . Listen and read my  
email with patience with sympathy who will feed my family who feed fellow taxi  
drivers families please make it fair grounds and let everyone play with same rules. I don  
the want to vote for NDP but if you never returned my email is afraid I have to and I will  
make sure another 500 ppl vote against you .thanks

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From: s.22

Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 12:15 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Please stand for local taxi industry

Respected Premier

As you are our elected position as a resident of British Columbia.I wanna reminder you a very big issue for resident of BC which is uber. In my knowledge every resident should support local market. why We give our money to other countries for doing nothing. Why BC gonna give millions of dollar to uber company just for operating APP( phone application). Why we can't Implement latest technolgy for taxis. Not only taxis but on everything. Please say NO to uber from BC. Set an great example for country that local taxi industry can work with latest technology. Why government want BC residents to use foreign APP just for local rides. Why We can't make APP for taxi like uber APP. I have great ideas where we can help Local taxi industry. (I don't owned any taxi licence)Please reply I wanna discuss my ideas. Respected Madam please stand for BC taxi industry. I have great respect for you. Thank you

Regards,

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From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 1:42 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: B.C. government financial support for taxi companies

Hello-I was born, raised and always resided in this beautiful province. However, I am very frustrated at our current provincial government's lack of responsibility in how they obtain and utilize tax dollars.

I am disgusted that the government would change provincial laws in their favour to enable them access to retrieve car insurance funds from ICBC to utilize as they see fit! All the while leaving the this crown corporation with a debt that now falls back on the shoulders of B.C drivers!

Now the Latest news release today outlines provincial funds to be utilized for assisting B.C. Taxi companies to prepare them for upcoming ride share program in December. I can only assume this is probably being funded from the ICBC money the government took.

I will not be supporting the Liberal party in the next provincial election!

Sincerely, s.22