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To whom it may concern,

Regarding the proposal to implement a clean cars standard, I like to respectfully object.

This is inappropriate for New Zealand for several reasons:

1. Car emissions are not a major problem here.
2. Within 10 or 20 years most cars will be electric because they are far nicer to drive. Car buyers will make this choice voluntarily. You don't need to force them to do this.
3. The invention of self-driving cars will be further incentive to buy new cars and thus speed the transition to electric cars. You don't need to force it.
4. Those who suffer from law changes like this will be those who cannot afford new cars: so you're taking from the poor and giving to the rich, which is exploitation.
5. Others who suffer will be farmers and landowners who will have to change their fleet, crippling our farming industry when they are already being hit by strong social pressure against farm animals -- which, by the way is based on doubtful science according to my reading.

I hope you will take this into account and stop this lawmaking crusade which will only serve to exploit the disadvantaged, and primary industry.

Thanks for listening.

Respectfully,
Berwyn Hoyt

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