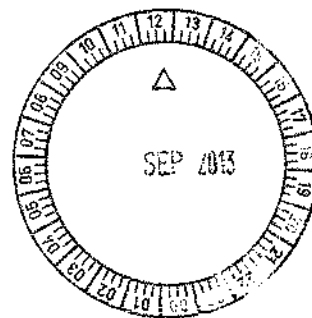


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To whom it may concern.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my outrage at the proposed fee increases aimed at firearms owners. We are already the dearest state in Australia for firearms licenses and the proposed increase is unwarranted.

The current minister for police, the Hon. Liza Harvey has provided a statement that the fee increases are needed to recover the true cost of licensing in this state.

If her statement is true and correct, then we, the people of Western Australia, should not be made to pay to prop up an ineffective, inefficient licensing system when every other state in Australia has a system that works and costs considerably less than the one we have.

Regards

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