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TO: The Chairman.

Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee.

Please accept my statement against Life Gold Pass being available to any former Parliamentarian or Widow / Widower.

On the loss of any parliamentary seat, or retirement, no former member of parliament nor widow nor widower should have any claim on such a Life Gold Pass. In fact, the current Life Gold Pass should be abolished immediately.

From the inception of the Pass in 1918 it has grown like topsy and now includes comcar services. It is out of proportion and contrary to common sense.

Hence I would vote against any furtherance, and vote for it to be abolished.

Please inform me of the result of you hearing.

Sincerely

Joe Lopez.