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To whom it may concern,

As a citizen who travelled not too many but more than 10 countries in the world

in the past ten years, I strongly agree & support to establish GST in HK. Everything new will become used to thru "Time".

Unless people don't go out for dinner at all, don't buy clothes, don't buy household wares; otherwise, the can't skip to pay GST under normal circumstances.

A good example is Gold. Can you control the gold price or the source controls the price?

Another one is Oil/Petroleum. Can you ask the those maunfactuer to maintain the oil price?

They will tell you to use natural gas, coal & sunergy, but they still raise the price, dont' they?

Do you see less people using oil after the price rose? Do you see more people buy Platinum  $\,$ 

instead of Gold after gold price rose?

Recently, are you aware of metal price & vegetables raised? But I can tell you the shop &

market still full of business. So as the same reason, the Government not need to supplement

those low incomer because they weren't not being supplemented when the vegetables price

raised. You should focusing to draw " right money from right people". You should raised the revenue tax --- from those high income companies because they are

even though they always doing gimmick but still they are the big money maker. Fast food shop,

also only 3 in HK serving 7 million people. Last but not least, Ultilities, but there's deal between

the Govt & them, so nothing much you can do.

My suggestion is to make a beautiful excuse thats draw wealth money to supplement poor level.

GST just doing nothing with them, that's should considered separate issue. Tell public the market price is horrible & fluctuate, like vegetables, gold & properties.

But the GST just doing fixed % rate whenever.

I need you to draw more successful examples from aboard so to convince  ${\tt HK}$  people to buy this idea.

As more as possible, ok, Good Luck.

A citizen dying to pay GST.