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Clear the Air: Taxi Driver Survey

120 taxi drivers were from HK, Kowloon and New territories were asked the following questions by CTA members in the Spring of the Year 2000.

- 1) 67% of taxi drivers believed that their health is affected by driving a taxi.
- 2) 70% of all drivers believed that air pollution is affecting their health, but only 44% does something to protect themselves.
- 3) But nearly 50% of them used "air condition" as one of their methods to protect themselves from polluted air – a method that does not work. The filter system of any air condition cannot filter particles. The drivers are breathing particles directly into their lungs from their own air condition.

1) Do you think your health is affected by driving a taxi?			Yes 57%	No 43%
2) Do you think your health is affected by air pollution?			Yes 72%	No 28%
3) Do you do anything to protect yourself from air pollution?			44%	56%
4) how?				
Roll down the window and turn on the air condition,			49%	out of the 78 drivers
maintain vehicle properly			35%	
Use legal fuel			8%	
Other			10%	
No response				
5) ownership			Owner 32%	rent 68%