

INQUIRY INTO PRIVATISATION OF BUS SERVICES

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The change in the bus routes from Coogee to the city as a result of privatisation has meant that in order to get into the city for appointments with my baby I now choose to drive and pay for parking as there is now no way in without changing buses or from a bus to the tram. This now makes public transport inconvenient and time consuming, and the increased cost of parking (which I would never have previously considered as the 374 went through the city) is now entirely justified.

I have no strong views on privatisation specifically, but I will not use public transport again until I can get a single bus from Coogee to Circular Quay.