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From: Tanya  
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To: Committee, Economics & Industry Standing  
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To whom it may concern

I wish to express my frustration and anger over the cost of airfares to get a flight out of Kununurra. I think it is absolutely ridiculous what Airnorth are charging for flights, especially from KNX to DWN return. Yes we choose to live here but why should we be charged above and beyond!!?? It's a 40 minute flight from KNX to DWN, I don't understand why the cost is so excessive? Then I get more annoyed when I go to check in on my return flight from DWN to KNX and get hit with an excess baggage charge! I was 3 kgs over! Another \$80 thank you! And more the fact the flight wasn't even half full! Go figure! Yes, I have to shop in Darwin as we only have limited suppliers here etc, isn't that enough? I think I pay enough for my airfares not to be charged for excess baggage. If flights were more reasonable, people would travel more. Like they say "Airnorth can charge what they like, they have no competition"! Is that what the case is, is to blindly rip people off?! Long story short Regional Australia get ripped off! Something needs to be done about these ridiculously priced airfares!

Sent from my iPhone