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Your review recommendations include increasing competition in industries such as taxis and pharmacies to give consumers more choice.

Has anyone thought seriously about the inherent dangers of such a move??

One of the main reasons for these industries to be heavily regulated and restricted to licensed operatives is for customer safety and security. Opening up these industries to greater competition could see customers placed in jeopardy.

The Victorian Government has already implemented opening up the Taxi Industry to more "players" with some benefit to customers, but will also see the ruination of many existing owners equity and retirement benefit with no likelihood of compensation.