

## **Fuel Prices and why your next car should be a Lexus Hybrid.**

- **Fuel Savings.**

We have all seen the drastic fuel price increases over the past few months. Experts are predicting it to rise even further by the end of 2008. Diesel has now reached over £6 per gallon, so any saving from extra mpg that diesel gives you over a petrol car has now been canceled out by the price difference. *Lexus Hybrid drivers are reporting fuel savings of up to £35 per 1,000 miles traveled compared to their previous vehicle.*

- **Tax Savings.**

Whether you are a company car driver, or have opted out of the company car scheme the savings to be made by switching to Lexus Hybrid are undeniable. From 21% BIK banding, Lexus hybrids are the lowest of any vehicle in their class, resulting in a lower personal tax bill. By opting out you benefit from fuel and VED savings plus higher residual values of Lexus Hybrid. *Company car drivers are saving up to £300 per month on their personal tax bill.*

- **Road Fund License (VED) Savings.**

Over the next few years all the VED rates are changing, and will be based on how much Co2 emissions a vehicle emits. Lexus Hybrid vehicles have the lowest Co2 emissions in their class and as such will attract the lower VED bands. *RFL savings over the next 3 years could be up to £585.*

- **Future Congestion Charge Savings.**

We all know that Manchester is probably going to be the next major city to get some form of congestion charge. Lexus Hybrid vehicles currently registered with the TFL are exempt from the London Congestion charge until January 2010. *The exemption for less polluting cars is recognition of the lower emissions that our cars produce.*

- **Environmental Savings.**

Co2 emissions of our modern consumer orientated society are a major contributor to rapid climate change. We are already experiencing an increase in extreme weather events in the UK. *Hybrid vehicles help to reduce Co2 emissions by running on emission free, regenerated electric power at low speeds and not burning any fuel when the vehicle is stationary.*

- **Life Savings.**

No, they do not break the bank when it comes to costs, but all these savings you could make to yourself and the environment could well change your way of life.

Make your own informed decision on hybrid technology and arrange a Lexus Hybrid drive experience - call Graeme Curtis at Lexus Stockport on 0161 480 0660 or 07971 206753. Alternatively email [graeme.curtis@lexus-stockport.lexus.co.uk](mailto:graeme.curtis@lexus-stockport.lexus.co.uk)



