

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing to express my anxiety and disappointment about this proposed bill.

Firstly, I want to briefly introduce about myself. I was an overseas student been educated in Australia since I was 17. Now, I have completed my study from high school to a postgraduate master degree here in Australia plus 1 year full time working which comes all together almost 10 years.

To be honest I have to say there was no intention to migrate to Australia at the time I was applying for my student visa. However, after this 10 years living in Australia I found that I have been integrated into this country even more than the country that I come from. I found myself a stranger when I came back to my home country because I only go back once a year and that's can be counted by days. That is why I decided to apply for a permanent resident visa in Australia because I believe I can provide a better future for my own family using what I have been equipped here.

The long standing reputation in Australian education sector has brought me here and in return I found a pretty good job in here soon after I graduated. This is my first step and this is also a very important step which convincing myself to go even further. As a result I started looking for my first business. However, due to the constantly changing in the Migration Policy and Regulations there has been an unprecedented uncertainty involved which stopped my aspiration. The application processing period has been changed by Immigration Policy from 3 months, 6 months to 2 years and now there is even a possibility that it would be capped and ceased as according to the Bill. Is that going to be the answer that I suppose to receive with a perfect matching application after 17 months intense moral suffering by the waiting time? I do not believe this is the answer that a responsible government will provide to those people who has paid a great effort in satisfying those requirements of Permanent Resident Visa.

The skilled migration in general would not add up the unemployment figure as we have been well educated in Australia and we all have one believe that is to create a better life with our hands & to make Australia to be more competitive in today's globe competition. The migration will not be the stumbling stone of our economy growth on the contrary, it would be one of the cures of the economy recession which can be permeated into every sector.

Lastly, this Bill is very important to the people like myself and those other thousands & thousands applicants as our future are depending upon it.

Yours Sincerely

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