

Dear Senate Committee:

This is to express my opinion about the new migration visa cap billing.

I came to this country when I was 16 in 2002, it was a big decision made towards my own life course as I looked forward to start a different life in Australia.

I finished high school just like all other Australian born kids and I worked and paid all my tax just like every Australians. After 8 years spent in this country it will be hard for me to switch my mentality again to adapt my old culture if the new visa cap billing is approved.

I am nominated as a hairdresser for my permanent residency application and I studied hard to earn the qualification because I can see my future here but not in any other country. Now everything will be different again since the new visa cap billing was introduced. Now I have to consider what should I do with my promising career and I can't even plan for my near future, I can't buy a new car, I can't invest in anything all because I am afraid one day I have to sell everything and leave this country.

I feel extremely stressed about this new visa cap billing as not it will only destroy everything I have worked for; also it makes me feel I am used by the Australian government. If they are saying the cap billing is introduced to cap certain occupations which Australia no longer requires, why don't just stop accepting new applications and process the backlog? And it is extremely unprofessional for a government body not planned how many new migrants they will need. Just introduce a new law and cancel all applications made by honest people like myself is not a solution but a humiliation for the government itself.

Again, I feel it is extremely unfair and anti human if the new visa cap billing is approved as it is against tens of thousands people with different backgrounds and different social classes.

I hope my opinion can be taken into account for considering the visa cap billing not being approved.

Regards,