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Submission to the Inquiry into the Fair Work Amendment (Small Business-Penalty Rates Exemption) Bill 2012

I am a permanent employee, working as a boilermaker, currently earning around not enough per hour.

A mortgage I am struggling with.

If penalty rates were abolished... I would not work more than 38 hours a week

My weekends are important to me because... they are mine

I urge the committee to keep penalty rates.

Submitted by

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