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To: [Community Affairs, Committee \(SEN\)](#)
Subject: SUBMISSION: Social Services Legislation Amendment (Strengthening Income Support) Bill 2021
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To whom it may concern,

I would like to make a submission regarding the Social Services Legislation Amendment (Strengthening Income Support) Bill 2021. My name is [REDACTED], and I reside in the little town of [REDACTED] NSW, I write to personally submit my contempt for the slashing of welfare payments.

This entire bill is a farse, from its title, to its draconian objectives it serves to discriminate, penelised and intimidate those hard working Australians who find themselves trapped within an unemployment system that is failing dramatically both by its coercive structure and intentions, and its complete disregard to the truths of everyday life for the increasing millions, who are by want, forced to seek welfare or witness there own fhsical and mental health.

The feudal punishments (mutual onligations) that equip the dodgy small business entepruneors with a licence to print money by breaching a welfare recipient for refusing a job, or any excuse these parasites determine that will escape the scrutiny of an independent assessment. is tantamount to bullying, these job Network providers are profit driven and because of that see us unemployed Australians as the means to which they can proffit, and profit they do, this issue should be a question within any parliamentary inquiry set to determine the outcome of this latest attempt by the LNP to hide the fact that its there policies that have ensured an ever increasing rise in casual employment and therefore unemployment, We need good full time jobs with remuneration and safety determined by the laws already existing, not cash in hand dodgy work agrements/ contracts drafted by employers selfishly determined to capitalise on the gift of high unemployment,

The rise just proposed by the LNP to replace the covid supplement is glaringly inadequate, and falls into the catagory of out right neglect. The covid supplement should remain at the rate it was established at, (\$500.00 a fortnight} this brings that rate up to the minimum wage, thet money is spent to sustain life, not as the LNP would have you believe, spent on drugs and alcohol. It's not a hand out we seek, it's compensation for being unemployed, there isn't the jobs out there to get us into the "full employment" catch cry of yesterday, unless Morrison regulates a shorter work week or cuts the retirement age, or adopts a sustainable renewable energy future and implements revolutionary retraining of this countries peoples, so as to tackle the environmental catastrofy were in right now then the measures outlined in this legislative change will only destine millions to poverty and homelessness.

So therefore I humbly suggest you reject this paltry increase as inadequate and strongly urge a rejection of the draconian mutual obligations coupled with this neoliberal austerity measure of the LNP.Yours sincerely