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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 volunteer, currently earning around nothing per hour.

I am retired with a house paid off. I have nephews and neices who are in the workforce.

If penalty rates were abolished my relatives would ask me for financial support such as advice.

My weekends are important to me because they are my rest time

I urge the committee to keep penalty rates. this will encourage business to employ more people to enable jobs to be done properly

Submitted by

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