

To
The Senate
The Australian Parliament
Subject: Regarding the Migration visa capping bill

Dear Sir/Madam,

Here is to inform you that my name is Muhammad Hossain. I have applied for visa class 885 on May, 2009. I am currently on bridging visa "A". Both I and my wife are working full time. It is more than a year that we are waiting for our application to be processed.

Recently the new Migration bill came to our knowledge and all in a sudden our future is darkness. I am working in public transport industry and my wife is working as a qualified childcare worker. I do believe that both of us hold a great deal of responsibility in our job. My wife is pregnant now. With the news of the bill we are in great tension and we are getting sick everyday. This is putting us in a situation that we can't concentrate in our job.

I do believe that this is unfair to terminate the lodged application under the capped bill. A country like Australia always has a plan of population and skilled migrated people. When the DIAC issue the visa to any particular class and subclass, they know that how many people have the possibility to apply for the GSM visa. Under the new visa processing criteria, there is 1, 47,000 visas are pending for a decision. The longer they wait to process them, the more applications are going to be in hold.

In the speech of the Immigration minister, he said that Australia doesn't need some of the skilled people and therefore he is seeking the power to terminate certain occupation or certain class of visa. In that case, as I told earlier DIAC have all the data and minister didn't have a control over the visa. I am afraid to say that the minister whether didn't do his job properly or he is incompetent.

I hereby appeal that please do not give so much power to one person, who may be not even capable of doing his job.

Yours truly,

Muhammad Hossain