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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 , currently earning around 20.43 per hour.

I Am A 53 Yr Old Woman With 2 Children Still Living At Home & A Chronically Ill Husband I Have A Mortgage Which I Pay I Work 3 Days A Week But With Sunday Work My Wage Helps Me Make Ends Meet

If penalty rates were abolished. I Wont Be Able To Pay Our Mortgage & Everything Else Thats Why I Work On Sundays..

My weekends are important to me because...Plenty Of Times I Miss Out On Family Things My Mother In Law Lives 4 Hrs From Me Havnt Seen Her Since April I Have To Work On Sundays For Penanty Rates

I urge the committee to keep penalty rates. Its Alright For Polititions Who Are On
Hundreds Of Thousands A Year Scrapping Penanty Rates On Sundays Might Not
Sound Too Much To Them But It Is An Awful Lot To Me

Submitted by

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