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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 Service assistant, currently earning around 19 per hour.

I work two jobs ahead to prepare stable future for my future kids and keep us with rising cost of living.

If penalty rates were abolished... I will worse off. We already live in one of the most expensive city as mention above I am currently trying put myself in position to support myself and my family. Not earning the penalty rate will make it real hard.

My weekends are important to me because otherwise I won't be able support my family.

I urge the committee to keep penalty rates. We are fair dinkin Australians who was working hard, paying our taxes and supporting the economy and supporting large welfare programe. Please don't take away our penalties, this is something that allow us to keep our head above the water.

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