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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 nurse, currently earning around 40 per hour.

family and mortgage.

If penalty rates were abolished... 20 to 25 thousand

My weekends are important to me because... family, sports, social. rest, gardening etc.

I urge the committee to keep penalty rates. i urge the committee to seek senator xenophon's resignation from politics as he us unaustralian.

Submitted by

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