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SUBMISSION NO. 5 - TRANSCRIBED COPY

To,
The Secretary/Chairman
House Economics Committee

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: TAX File Numbers.

I am a citizen of Australia and proud of it. But I am amazed what has not been done. There are thousands of people doing work illegally getting thousands of dollars and getting away with it. They are tourists who come here under tourist visa work as prostitutes etc.

Please see attached. What is really done about it. They have entered illegally, employers employ them there is no penalty for the employers to discourage it. If the Federal Govt has the balls it will get rid of them you do not need to be Einstein! You have to check all Australian News Papers nation wide and you will be surprised. It is right in front of your eyes. I question how many are illegal/receiving cash not taxed etc. Even the GST is not going to stop it. Because Politicians have not the guts to put a stop to it. Even though it is well known. The country is losing millions of dollars in taxes etc.

Thank you.
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P/S I have seen article in the West Australian dated 16/10/99 and I thought I put my views. Hope it is not too late. I have a lot of points regarding the Tax File Numbers on how to make it harder to get for illegals etc. More identification example a 100% check for getting bank A/C to be applied for tax file Number!

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