



PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA
Penalty Rates and Fair Pay Select Committee

MEDIA RELEASE

Call for submissions on penalty rates and fair pay

The Penalty Rates and Fair Pay Select Committee is investigating the economic and social impact and cost of the Fair Work Commission's recent decision to cut penalty rates to categories of Victorian workers.

The Committee is also examining possible safeguards and federal legislative changes to protect vulnerable Victorian workers.

The Committee is seeking community input and invites written submissions by Friday, 19 May 2017.

"The parliamentary inquiry is an important opportunity for Victorians to have their say," said Committee Chair, Gabrielle Williams.

"I encourage anyone with views and experiences to make a written submission to the Committee.

"We want to hear from a range of people in order to make meaningful recommendations to Parliament."

For the full terms of reference and more information visit the Committee's [website](#).

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