



PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA
Penalty Rates and Fair Pay Select Committee

MEDIA RELEASE

Ballarat hearing on penalty rates

A public hearing on penalty rates and fair pay will be held in Ballarat on Wednesday 21 March.

The Victorian Parliament's Penalty Rates and Fair Pay Select Committee is seeking community input and invites organisations and individuals to register if they wish to present their views at the public hearing.

To register email PenaltyRatesFairPay@parliament.vic.gov.au or phone (03) 9651 8555.

The public hearing will be held at the Ballarat Mechanics Institute, 117 Sturt Street, Ballarat.

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

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

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

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