

Petition



A decent working future for all Australian workers

Attention: Mr Kevin Rudd and the Federal Labor Party,

We the people of Australia welcome the Federal Labor Party's opposition to the Howard Government's unfair and extreme IR laws.

We encourage the Labor Party to continue to fight for Australian working families who have had their wages and conditions cut and their job security undermined because of the Howard Government's unfair IR laws.

We ask you to continue to work hard for a fair IR system in Australia based on:

- policies that protect jobs and **protect workers from being unfairly sacked**
- ensuring workers **penalty rates for weekend, night and public holiday** work are protected
- protecting **award conditions** and the **minimum wage**
- the **right for employees to collectively bargain** for decent wages and conditions
- **an independent umpire** to ensure fair wages and conditions, and to settle disputes
- the **right to be a member of a union** and to be **represented by a union** in negotiations
- **scrapping AWA individual contracts** which cut pay and conditions.

These are basic rights which should be part of every Australian workplace and we urge you to continue your fight to reinstate rights at work for all Australian workers.

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