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Subject: Cutting Retail Wages

To whom it may concern,

I am a university student, and i have worked in retail for the last two years to fund my degree. As it is, retail workers are not paid enough for what they are expected to put up with from customers, the unpaid overtime they are expected to do, and you are proposing to cut these miserable wages even further?

Penalty rates are the only thing that drags a weekly wage to a decent level of pay. For someone like me, who has to juggle university and work, sunday rates are extremely important. if you take that away, you will see many people leaving the retail sector.

Yours Sincerely,
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