

Respected Sir/Madam,

Regarding: Opposing Bill.

I was working as a Medical Transcriptionist and as a welfare worker (volunteer) in India after my high school. Later, we (me and my husband) had decided to go Australia for further study and better living. We spend a lot of money. We paid our tuition fee 10,000 dollars in advance and brought all our savings for survival in Australia.

So, we came to Australia in 2006 on student visa. I choose Community Welfare course as community work is a part of my interest and I was doing community work back home. I had finished my studies and I choose Disability sector. I had started working in Aged care later and I am also working as a volunteer at Migrant Resource Centre Parramatta. I am also planning to work as a volunteer at Northcott Disability Service Centre.

I had applied for my Temporary residency and later I will go for permanent residency. I am sure enough to get Permanent residency.

If in any case due to strict rules and regulations, I have to go back India then I have to start my career all from beginning i.e. high school because community services work is not so common in India and there is hardly a job in community sector. So our future will be in dark.

We are just use to the Australian system. We love this country and we love to live here. According to my knowledge it's a fair-go country and its does not matter if you are a student or permanent resident. So its your responsibility to do a fair deal.

I am not regretting about money but what about the golden time which I spend here as there is a common saying "Save Time Because It Never Comes Back".

We are just use to the Australian system. We love this country and we would live to continue living here.

Hope you will keep everything in mind while passing this Bill but being a student I am not in a favour of this bill as it might ruin a future of a student.

Looking forward to hear optimistically from you side very soon.

Thank you very much

Yours sincerely