The feasibility of, and options for, creating a national long service standard, and the portability of long service and other entitlements

Submission 1

Dear Sir or Madam

I certainly don't believe that long service leave should be portable. Long service is something which is earnt by staying at your employment for a set time and it is an incentive for employees to stay on longer to get the entitlement. If it was made portable you would lose the incentive for everyone to stay at their employment to which it was originally designed for. Also it would be another cost for the employers to wear again if someone moved on early and we would have to pay up like a super scheme. Leave it alone.

Regards
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