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**To:** [Community Affairs Committee \(SEN\)](#)  
**Subject:** DSP REDUCED PORTABILITY BILL (SUBMISSION)  
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Dear sir / madam,

surely a few months a year isn't too much to ask to be allowed to travel to see loved ones and children who are born and being born abroad, if the new law passes after my 28 days have been used, I won't even be able to be at the birth of my child.

Why punish us on the DSP, I thought Australia was a free country, How do I tell the mother of my child that I will no longer be able to see them, except for 28 days per year. As they live in the Philippines, they have not much chance of getting a visa to come be with me or even visit me.

We must have some heart and please let us remain to be able to travel, please, please.

I know that I don't count for much with my opinion however please consider the extended people this will create much heartache and sadness for.

Kind regards,