

To whom it may concern,

I am a student who just accepted an offer from a prestigious university in Australia to study a degree in Engineering. My family and I were immensely, for Australia has always been the perfect place for us to spend our lifetimes in. However, the recent Visa Capping Bill had shattered all our hopes and dreams.

My initial plan was to graduate my studies in Australia and dedicate myself to the country along with my family members. My mother has been a professional hairdresser for more than two decades. Although she's no longer young, she's still optimistic in bringing changes in her career field. It's her dream to have her own salon parlour in Australia and share the techniques and skills she has obtained in our local country. This new scheme has not only just ruined the future of our family; i believe there are hundreds, thousands of people in the world who could bring prosperity and opulence to Australia. All we need is a chance to do so.

Frankly, I will not consider employment in Australia after my graduation. To me, my family is the most important part of my life and I cannot imagine not having them with me in the future. Is this what you want? Fresh graduates full of potential just leave the country because their families are not allowed to be here with them.

I know we are just people with small voices. But I am certain there are more people out there who are not voicing out their opinions.

I sincerely hope you will consider demolishing this unnecessary Visa Capping Bill.

Yours truly,

Elaine Chan.