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SYDNEY'S NIGHT TIME ECONOMY

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Can you please repeal the lock out laws in Sydney?

I live in Melbourne and am sick of people from Sydney coming and stealing our amazing hospitality jobs because they cant find work in Sydney anymore.

Thats a joke, i'm actually happy they have moved to Melbourne and seen the better side of Australia. Again, thats another joke. Cant we all get along? You're not doing yourselves any favours on the Vic VS Nsw or Melb vs Syd debate!

Melbourne is flourishing and its night life is up there with the best in the world. Maybe thats why Melbourne is always ranked higher than Sydney on "Most liveable cities" lists. Could also be the coffee, the inclusiveness and the freedom we have down here though.

Anyway, I've never been to Kings Cross because it was already shut down by the time that I travelled to Sydney as an adult. A bit sad since thats an "iconic" part of Sydney.

The literal only time that Sydney is fun is during Vivid festival. and thats only because I know to go to the bottleo for my wine at 4pm when its surely going to be open, not after I've finished looking at the amazing art and want to enjoy a night cap at my hotel.

Open Sydney back up and start to reinvigorate the night life. Its already too far gone and most of the magic is lost. BUT you can stop it from plummeting further in the depth of no return. You've gotta stop punishing 99% of the population because of the drunken actions of 1%.

Do you enjoy music?

If you answered yes, you should probably move to Melbourne where we actually have venues that show live music 7 days a week. How crazy that live music doesnt directly correlate with people punching eachother to death.

Also, keeping the casino open during the lock out laws? Do you really think the whole of Australia isnt gonna realise that's because you make profits from them? And not counting the assaults that happen within the casino in your stats.... you must think the general population is stupid.

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Yours truthfully, sincerely with the kindest regards,

Stef Lawson

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