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SYDNEY'S NIGHT TIME ECONOMY

Organisation: Potts Point and Kings Cross Heritage and Residents' Society

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We apologise for our late submission.

Our view is that lockouts should remain permanently and that Kings Cross should be exempt from any alterations.

See this article: http://www.altmedia.net.au/lockout-laws-a-defence/140700

The committee's terms of reference are to consider how to

- 1. maintain and enhance community safety;
- 2. maintain and enhance individual and community health outcomes;

We submit retention of lockout laws will achieve this aim.

The terms of reference also are to:

- (c) ensure existing regulatory arrangements in relation to individuals, businesses and other stakeholders, including Sydney's lockout laws, remain appropriately balanced;
- (d) enhance Sydney's night time economy;

We submit the balance required can create an equilibrium if lockouts are retained but other forms of non-alcoholic entertainment are also provided.

We submit enhancement of the night-time economy should not butcher the day-time economy.

We submit the Committee should adopt the Callinan Review's conclusions:

http://www.liquorlawreview.justice.nsw.gov.au/Documents/report/LiquorLawReview Report.pdf

Thank you

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