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INQUIRY INTO NSW WORKERS COMPENSATION SCHEME

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The Hon Robert Borsak,

Dear Sir I am writing to you regarding the proposed changes to work cover I am very distressed to read of these outrageous changes severely impacting the lives of injured workers, because of the poor mismanagement of work cover they want to make us the people accountable and not the government, I personally was injured with back and neck injury 2 years ago tried to work but couldn't I needed a major back operation and have been unfit for work the last 8 months and have gone through enormous pain and stress.

Financially and emotionally I am suffering even on the current law ,changing it to the proposed is ridiculous getting through the day with rehabilitation is hard let alone trying to pay bills and do the normal every day activities that we all do . I am 51 years old and don't even know where my future lies please don't take away our basic rights that let us survive I and many others will suffer even more from these proposed changes can you please address my concerns more HELP is needed not less.

Regards, Donald Mc Donald