

**Submission  
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**INQUIRY INTO THE MUSIC AND ARTS ECONOMY IN  
NEW SOUTH WALES**

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Keep live music venues open. Make developers responsible for noise proofing all new developments in areas where live music venues are currently operating. Help live music venues to grow. Stop noise restrictions on live music venues. Stop the lockout laws and curfews on live music venues. Help local Artists and Patrons have better venues and facilities. Keep the poker machines out of pubs and bring back the bands. We need to build a society that is social, live music is a great way to do that. If we have better venues and more relaxed policies it will encourage people to get out more and support the live music industry which will lead to more jobs in the industry and a better culture for everyone.