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## Submission on Newcastle licensing laws

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Dear Sir / Madam

I arrived in Newcastle 10 years ago from the Illawarra. I thought Wollongong was a tough town and similar to Newcastle in many ways, however I was shocked at the alcohol related violence in Newcastle.

I support the current restrictions. The laws have had a dramatic and sustained positive influence on the lives of young people in Newcastle.

The current laws still allow young people to go out late and have a good time. My own children, now aged 24 and 22, have grown up with the laws. Both are local kids going to Newcastle High and playing for local sporting clubs. They have frequently gone out over the last 10 years. Neither has ever lamented that the liquor laws are overly restrictive.

Regards

Peter Jamieson

Sent from my iPad