## Review the lockouts

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To whom it may concern,

As an Australian who recently moved to Sydney after 5 years in Berlin I have to say that the recently implemented lockout laws have completely gutted this city. It is not the city I visited years ago and definitely not for the better. The once vibrant city is a ghost town and the blatant corruption regarding the casino is a disgrace, something that is being recognised all throughout the world.

Take Berlin as an example. Although clubs are open 24 hours, 7 days a week, I never saw or experienced violent behaviour, even though I was working in nightlife. This is an inherently Australian problem and that is the cause of the problem that needs to be addressed, not when and where people drink alcohol.

For the sake of saving Sydney before the damage goes to far, review and end the lockouts.

Sincerely,

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