Submission to the review of alcohol

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The Chair

Liquor Law Review Committee

I have been following with great interest the changes that have occurred since the introduction of the new liquor serving regulations, including such measures as "Lockouts".

It is apparent that the new measures have proven successful in reducing the number of drink related injuries and casualties that used to occur in parts of the Sydney CBD.

I am of the opinion that as the new measures have been conclusively proven to work, they should be continued, and in fact the program widened to the extent that similar regulations be implemented right across the state of NSW.

If we want Sydney to continue to be a "safe" place for both locals and tourists then the Government must take a strong stand on the regulation of drinking behaviour, and not back down to pressures from vested interests, who are turning a blind eye to all the good that has been achieved since the introduction of these new laws.

Regards,

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Community supporter