

Disappointment in lockout laws

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Good Afternoon,

As a resident of the Sydney City LGA, I would like to register my disappointment with the implementation of the lockout laws.

It is incredibly sad, and somewhat frightening, to walk around our city at night since the lockout laws have been implemented. To see once vibrant areas devoid of life is a tragedy, and one I am certain we will come to recognise as a huge mistake in the not-too-distant future.

While violence is a problem in our city, I strongly disagree that this is the result of an individual's ability to buy a drink late at night. If other international cities are able to sustain a strong nighttime economy without suffering idiotic levels of violence, then Sydney should be able to follow suit without slapping a simplistic and overly restrictive solution on the entire populace.

Regards,

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