

## Liquor Law Review



Inbox

To the attention of the Liquor Law Review Committee,

I urge you to reconsider the lockout laws, which has devastated Sydney's nightlife and culture.

Not only are the lockout laws affecting the majority of small businesses within the vicinity (many of which have closed down due to less traffic), it has also poorly represented Sydney as a global city for tourists who wanted to experience the "nightlife" of a global city. At the rate this is going, Sydney is looking like a ghost town to everyone else around the world.

To punish the majority based on the actions of a very few minority is appalling to say the least. Safety is certainly very important but we shouldn't need to destroy Sydney's nightlife and culture by locking everyone out. We can do this by setting up new body or committee dedicated to Sydney nightlife who will implement strategies that will ensure we are all safe when we go out late, whether you are a resident or a tourist. If we keep increasing the lockout laws, this will not only affect the foot traffic, it will discourage people from moving into Sydney or even encorage Sydney residents to move elsewhere.

I hope you will consider my argument in ensuring the future of a safe nightlife in Sydney for the better.

Yours Sincerely, Annie Tran