

Lockout Laws

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Hi,

I work odd hours. (Im a flight attendant for Qantas) and live in Surry Hills.

I believe the lock out laws affect me negatively as I now have to plan ahead when meeting up with friends when I knock off work. Since they have been enforced, it's just better to stay home as Sydney night life is dead! Most of the venues I frequented are now closed. I miss the freedom I once had and would like my personal choice reinstated. Why should I be punished by the actions of a minority? Why should I only be allowed to have a night out after lock out at the casino! Why can't I buy alcohol after 10pm? Why do I have to feel rushed, when I land at 10pm in Sydney to plan my night before the clock strikes 130pm !

I believe these laws have ruined the city of Sydney. What's more embarrassing, is I'm able to drink alcohol in the wee hours of the morning in Dallas however not in my hometown! I can even get a drink and get let into a club after 130am in downtown Honolulu! Now for an international city like Sydney this is truly embarrassing! I'm contemplating of moving to Victoria.

These laws are disgusting! Please abolish them and save what was once beautiful cosmopolitan Sydney!