



INDEPENDENT
INQUIRY into
Insecure Work

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Text of submission	<p>I have been in local government for over 24 years and I am a third generation local government worker and union member of the USU. We are currently watching the state government try to tear up our job security and allow ROcs to take control of the tendering and outsourcing of our work. We cannot compete with contractors because they do not have to supply simple basic things such as depots and cleaners for the depots that we in Local Govt do. This threat at my age (55) is making me sick and my wife is concerned that if I lose my job or have my wages and conditions reduced we cannot afford to retire as we had planned. We in Local Govt. took less wages for many years for job security and now that is under threat from these dirty Liberals who are only interested in profit for the 1% of the community and shareholders. Don't forget who emptied your garbage for years while you slept in your warm, dry beds.</p>				

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