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Text of submission	<p>I have been working for Qld Education now for 16 months. Because I had worked for a short time during third term and all of term four last year I received minimal pay over the Christmas break. This year I was told the contract I had would be extended but for only six months. That is not so bad because it means that I should be paid over the break this time because I worked 200 days.</p> <p>If the Qld Government wants loyalty from teachers and those of other working groups they need to show loyalty themselves and remove the barriers for extended contracts. I was appalled that my contract and my wife's contract could be confirmed long before the last day of school.</p> <p>In today's modern society to treat people that this is absurd and also very wrong. I want to word that more strongly but I'm angry that a socialist government should treat the rank and file this way shows a lack of moral fibre and gumption.</p>				

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