I want to say if employers want to pay poverty wages, it is not good for families. It is also not good that families on these poverty wages are greatly disadvantaged by this government policy. I can’t type this letter or email etc because we don’t have these assumed commodities. If employers want to pay poverty wages, they should have to deal with Centrelink who treat you like second class citizens. Why do prosperous nations feel it is there right?
to build their nations on a slave classes back is this not immoral to say the least.

Also Apprentice wages in some Industry defy belief last year apprentices being paid 5-6 dollars in some instances. When I hear current affair stories waging people can't get workers it makes me shake my head. Usually they are interfering young people don't want a job. When you look at the conditions they work under the wages in these industries you question the business
Intelligence of those in management is in stark contrast to those who set the wage rates in these industries. Pay people a decent wage and they want the job. Some industries pay 6-7 dollars and that's weekends. Why does our country find this acceptable? Do you find this acceptable in a country that prides itself a fair go especially when the young people 15, 16, 17 year olds are expected to pay full price to travel to work are charged full price everywhere. Its double standards in favour of the rich and the Government.
I personally think junior minimum wage should be 9-10 dollars after tax and super are taken out. I don't think it is too extravagant. Adult minimum wage should be at least 16-20 dollars after tax and super are taken out. It is not extravagant compared to the cost of living. If an employer wants to pay the low wage introduce a system where they apply to centrelink for this. That way the person who benefits from low wages has the hassle etc of dealing with centrelink.
Why do those filling the slave role for governments have so many extra burden placed on them.

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