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**Sent:** Thursday, 18 May 2017 9:04 p.m.  
**To:** ESConsultation  
**Subject:** In regards to immigration changes

To whom it may concern,

First of all, thank you for an opportunity to express our views on this important issue. Here, I would like to mention that it is really hard for employers to give \$49,000 per annum package. Especially for businesses like dairy, cafes, restaurant etc.

I would like to share my struggle here. I came over in New Zealand in November, 2011. I have been working in food and beverage industry since January 2012 and I am an assistant manager now at a cafe. Hopefully, in future I may have an opportunity to get promoted as general manager but if rules get changed by August and I get promoted in August or September I won't be able to apply for my residence. How disappointing it will be. I have been working so hard to get settled down in New Zealand and to be a responsible citizen here.

Well, that was my long story in short. Similarly, there are thousands of hard working immigrants here, who have been struggling for since last 5-6 years or so, it will be so unfair with them. I request respected immigration to make sure they don't do anything unfair that will break our dreams and hearts.

Thanks and regards,

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