

EXPERIENCING WORKPLACE EXPLOITATION?

You may be protected from visa cancellation.

NEW PROTECTIONS FOR TEMPORARY VISA HOLDERS

If you've been exploited at work and breached a visa condition, you may be guaranteed against visa cancellation if:



You hold a temporary visa with work rights



You've breached a work-related condition of that visa because of workplace exploitation



You've experienced exploitation in the last 12 months



You get certified evidence of your exploitation from a trusted organisation



You commit to following your visa conditions in future

WHAT COUNTS AS EXPLOITATION?



Unpaid or underpaid work



Unsafe working conditions



Sexual harassment



Threats to cancel your visa



Forced to get an ABN



Unfair dismissal

YOU MAY STILL BE PROTECTED AGAINST CANCELLATION IF:



- You hold any visa (including a Bridging visa)
- You've breached any condition of that visa because of workplace exploitation
- You get certified evidence of your exploitation from a trusted organisation
- You commit to following your visa conditions in future

TAKE ACTION NOW



1

Get advice

Contact a union, community legal centre, or accredited third party for help with your workplace exploitation matter.



2

Get certified

Your exploitation matter must be certified by a participating government agency or accredited third party.



To find an accredited third party, go to:
migrantworkers.org.au/atp

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Notify Home Affairs

Complete the Strengthening Reporting Protection Request Process form and attach your certification.



Contact: Fair Work Ombudsman or an accredited third party



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