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To whom it may concern

I have been in the Qld coal mining industry since 1996.

I have worked every roster and shift rotation there is on 5 separate mine sites.

7on 7off FIFO is the best for work / fatigue / lifestyle balance I have encountered.

From 2003 to 2013 I worked 7 on 7 off FIFO Brisbane - Emerald and paid for my own flights because it suited my lifestyle and gave me all I wanted from work and metropolitan living.

I now work the same roster Brisbane – Moranbah with company paid flights. This is my 12th yr FIFO 7/7.

I love it, my wife loves it, my kids love it. No roster compares in work / fatigue / lifestyle balance and FIFO allows me to focus on these and not the travel in between.

BMA as a company and my onsite leadership team support myself and all members of our team with many company provided support services and as both peers and friends in any fatigue / FIFO related concerns.

Please don't change it or allow not other workers the opportunity to experience it.

Thank you

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