

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are a family partnership running a pawnbroking business in Perth. 2 people work in this store, or annual turnover is approx \$650,000.

We report all our transactions daily to the WA Police under our obligations under the Pawnbrokers Act. We don't have terrorists or organised criminals dealing with us. We have enough red tape already to deal with & I believe a fairer thing would be for the Govt to reimburse us for any further time we need to comply, not being charged to aid the Aust populace in general or do terrorists only strike small business people.

As you can gather we do not believe we should be charged for the rare occasion we have a report to make which every Aust citizen.

Yours

Chris Smith

Partner Smith & Sinclair Pawnbroker