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31 May 2024

Jobs and Skills Australia
Department of Employment and Workplace Relations
GPO Box 9828, Canberra, ACT 2601

To the Honourable Commissioner of the Australian Government Jobs and Skills Australia,,

RE: PETITION TO SAVE THE AUTO JOBS ON THE Australian Government Core Skills Occupation List (CSOL LIST)

We, the undersigned, wish to bring to your attention a matter of great importance and concern that affects the Auto Industry of Australia, its Employers, employees and prospective Auto workers.

ISSUE

The Australian Government body, Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA) has decided to place the above occupations:

- Motor Mechanic (General)
- Panel Beater
- Vehicle Painter
- Vehicle Body Builder
- Vehicle Trimmer

On the CSOL 'Targeted for Consultation' List.

To express our unified support for this petition, we have attached a petition from concerned Australian Auto employers who share our current views on this bleak situation.

The following Auto bodies have signed the petition:

Koudsy Body Works Pty Ltd (Artarmon): (koudsybodyworks.com.au)

LSR Autobody: (lsrautobody.com.au)

Alto Group: (alto.com.au)

Mercedes Benz North Shore: (www.mbnorthshore.com.au)

Peninsula Motor Group: (www.peninsulamotorgroup.com.au)

Brian Hilton Motor Group: (www.brianhilton.com.au)

(Please refer to the attached signed petition pages. I apologise that 2 pages have one signature – due to the fact that I have sent that petition by email to the Auto company that signed that page)

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I have reached out to the Motor Trades Association of Australia (MTAA) about this issue and they have already submitted their detailed submission.

The above listed Auto occupations have always been highly demanded jobs in the Australian Auto Industry. There has always been a lack of Auto skilled workers to fulfil the constant demands of Auto Employers. I myself have always experienced and viewed this issue with Auto Australian Employers that I have assisted since 2004.

We have come together to express our collective voice and request the Minister of Home Affairs to **keep** the Auto industry 'demanding' occupations: Motor Mechanic (General), Panel Beater, Vehicle Painter, Vehicle Body Builder and Vehicle Trimmer listed on the Core Skills Occupations List (CSOL).

We urge you to consider our signed petition pages and work towards keeping the highly demanding and important Auto occupations listed above on the Dept of Home Affairs CSOL list - as this will benefit the Australian Auto Industry as a whole.

Yours Sincerely,

[Redacted signature]

[Redacted contact information]

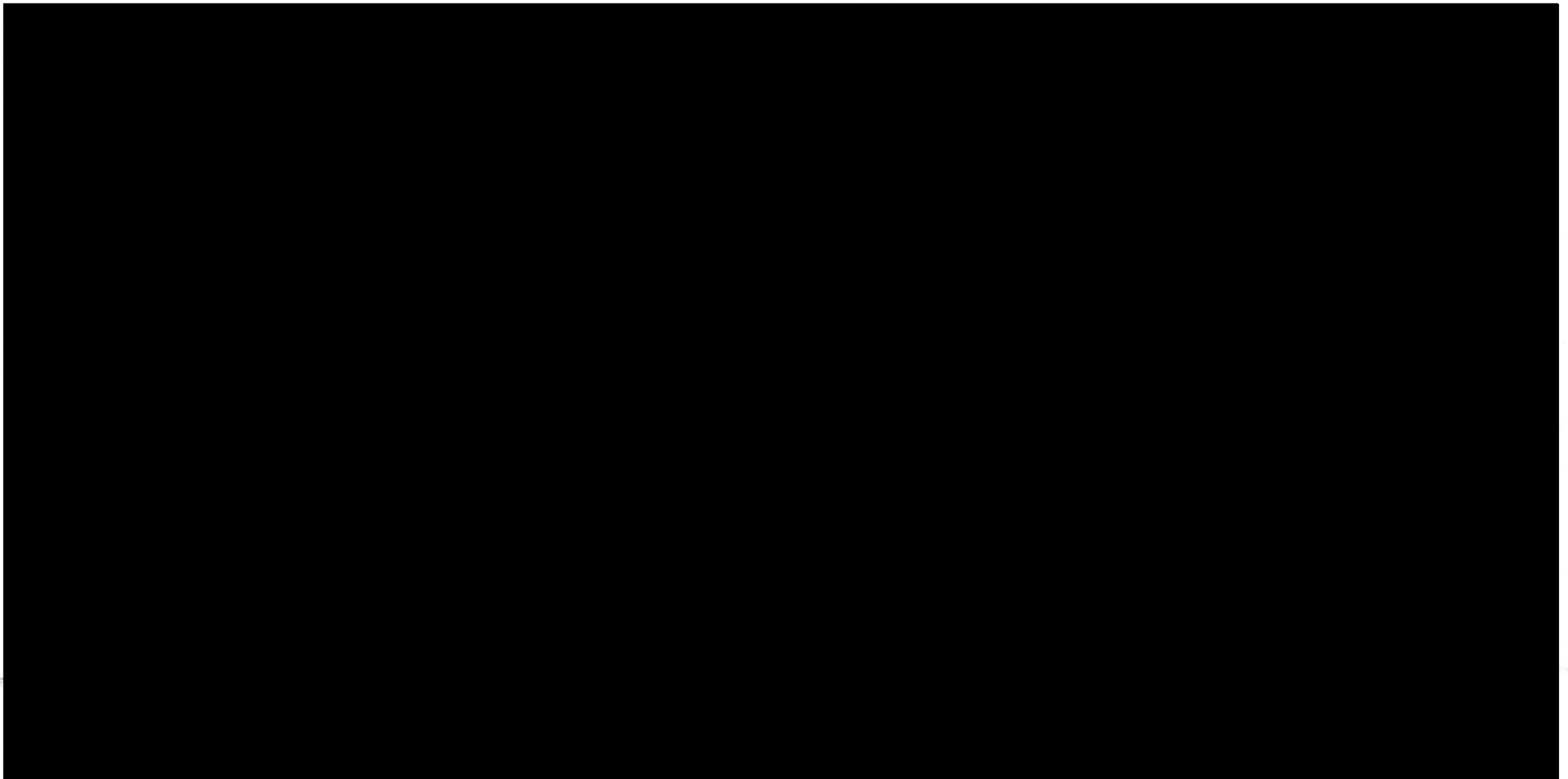
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Signed Auto Industry Petition pages

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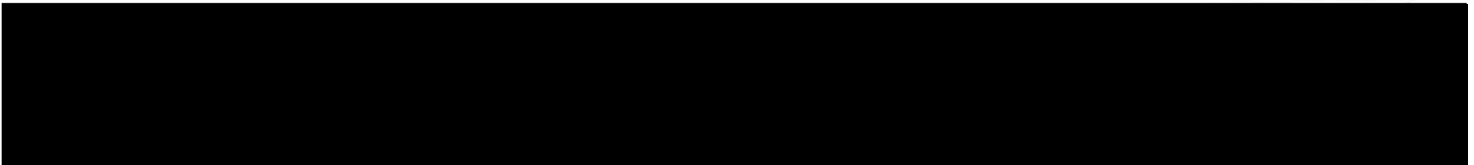
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