



WORKERS MEMORIAL DAY ACTION: 28 APRIL

869 PEOPLE KILLED IN TRUCK CRASHES IN 5 YEARS

Today marks five years since the Road Safety Remuneration Tribunal - a watchdog to examine and regulate supply chain pressures - was abolished by the Liberal Government. They have put nothing in its place to address the deadly squeeze on transport.

Since then, 869 people have been killed in truck crashes, 186 of them truck drivers.

Hundreds of lives that could have been saved. Hundreds of families ripped apart by grief.

We are angry. Together we can channel our anger into action that puts pressure on the Federal Government to pay attention to our industry and introduce regulation that forces wealthy clients to pay up, pay Safe Rates and save lives.

Join us next Wednesday on Workers Memorial Day as we pay respects to our workmates and their families and call for reform.

FOLLOW THESE STEPS:

1. During your break **take a selfie** with your truck or a photo with your co-workers in your yard.
2. **Post the photo on your social media** with something like this as the caption:
“Transport is Australia’s deadliest industry. Share this post if you agree that truck drivers deserve Safe Rates of pay and conditions so that we can get home to our families. #saferatessavelives”
3. Add to your post:
 - a. the hashtag **#saferatessavelives**
 - b. the name of your company
 - c. the name of your yard
4. If you don’t have social media, please **email your pic with your name and yard to media@twu.com.au**

If you have any questions about this action, please speak to your delegate or organiser this week.

TOGETHER, WE ARE STRONGER.
JOIN NOW FOR A BETTER FUTURE.

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