Dear Productivity Commission,

As a part of the broader community I have a family who have families of their own and yes I have a mortgage. I over 60 years of age and I find this continuous lose of industry and manufacturing in this country very disturbing.

The closing of the car industry would signal the beginning of the end for many people and their families and friends. The country would be far the worse for the loss, keep Australia strong by providing the necessary tools to provide work and sustain a life for all Australians and their children's' children.

Australia's future would become void of the opportunity to provide a real future for apprentices, skilled and semi skilled people in all sorts of projects, innovation, and sense of worth and achievement.

For the sake of Australia's future keep the car industry here in Australia. Protect this vital industry as the health, wealth and sense of belonging to an idea of achievement and creativity gives this great nation purpose to enter the future.

Kind Regards, Den Hargreaves