

Submission to: the Inquiry into Paid Maternity, Paternity and Parental Leave
the Productivity Commission, GPO Box 1428, Canberra City, ACT, 2601.
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From my Model National Constitution and Budget

I propose two systems; a system from a levy on all business payroll for employees, and a system from the commonwealth for surrogates;

1% LEVY ON ALL PAYROLL FOR BABY BONUS without the requirement that the mother take leave but providing the option to the mother of 3 months leave prior to birth and 3 months leave after birth. Payroll of \$300billion [\$284 billion in 05] x 1% levy = \$3billion]

: \$10,000,000,000 FOR SURROGATES MOTHERS BABY BONUS, If for 200,000 children born each year to surrogate mothers then \$50,000 per birth. No requirement that the birth mother take leave from work to receive payment. For surrogate mothers who have never touched the egg and sperm donor/s. Where the surrogate, the child and the parent to be are all Australian citizens and the surrogate and the parents to be are over the age of 18 years. If a mother commissions a progeny as agreed and paid for written contract, the surrogate may refuse or return the money and keep the child, or as otherwise determined by a judge. If the genetic material has failed to conceive or the fetus has been aborted by the surrogate or been born with health problems then payment is canceled. The child is handed over with receipt of payment. The adoption of non citizens is illegal, except foreign donor genetic material may be used.