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Immediate Demands

Workers/union rights and democratic rights

- Empower workers with the right to strike!
- Scrap the ABCC – Stop criminalising workers demanding decent wages and conditions!
- Guarantee workplace rights!
 - Right to job security
 - Right to a safe workplace
 - Right to organise
 - Right to collective action
 - Right to union OH & S representatives
 - Right to full entitlements when companies fail

Environment

- Make the polluters pay!
 - Cap and tax carbon emissions – no “market solutions”
 - No emission reduction costs passed on to the people
- Phase out coal!
 - Create clean power using renewable energy
 - Retrain workers for new clean, sustainable industries
- Water belongs to all – it’s not for trade or sale!
- No uranium mining – unsafe for workers, communities and humanity!

Manufacturing, jobs, resource super-profits tax

- Stop nation-wrecking by multinationals – nationalise and build the nation for the people!
- Regulate and control foreign investment - reject unequal “free trade” deals!
- Tax the profits of the mining monopolies! Keep the wealth in Australia!
 - Develop renewable energy production
 - Build clean, safe, sustainable manufacturing and value-adding industries
 - Improve services and amenities in mining communities and regional areas

Health, education, and livelihood

- Serve the people – no privatisation!
 - More and better public schools
 - More and better public hospitals
 - More and better public housing – implement rent controls
 - More and better public transport
 - More and better community-run childcare centres
- Nationalise the banks!
 - Regulate interest rates, Cut bank fees
- More affordable private housing!
- Scrap Negative Gearing!
- Increase pensions and entitlements!

Aboriginal sovereignty and the ‘intervention’

- End the racist Intervention now - Aboriginal control of Aboriginal affairs!
- Stop land grabbing by mining companies!
- Unconditional restoration of the Racial Discrimination Act – scrap compulsory ‘Income Management’!
- Leave Land Rights alone - recognise Aboriginal sovereignty!
- A just Treaty with the Aboriginal and Torres Strait peoples!

Foreign policy

- For an independent and peaceful foreign policy!
- No more support for American wars – get out of Iraq, Afghanistan and the Philippines!
- No US Alliance – no foreign military bases on Australian soil!
- Nuclear free Australia!

Social issues

- Equal rights for women!
 - Equal pay for equal value
 - Make equal opportunity a reality
 - Right to choose legal, safe abortion
 - Parental leave paid at full wage
- For a multicultural Australia!
 - No to racism
 - Stop demonisation of asylum seekers and refugees

No discrimination on grounds of sexuality!