# SHOULD NEW ZEALAND RATIFY THE 2014 FORCED LABOUR PROTOCOL?

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If you would like to discuss any aspects of this proposal before submitting your views, contact Jessica Russell, by email at [jessica.russell@mbie.govt.nz](https://mako.wd.govt.nz/otcsdav/nodes/21174269/jessica.russell%40mbie.govt.nz), or by phone on (04) 901 3826.