

Dear Sir/Madam,

This week is TruckWeek 2010, an event designed to promote the importance of the modern trucking industry, as well as educating about road safety and safe driving around trucks.

As a local trucking operator, I know the value of my industry, to both our community and the Australian economy.

Trucks transport 75 per cent of the total freight task, including every product in every supermarket in Australia. And that's not going to change anytime soon, unless every supermarket builds a rail line, port or airport directly to their store.

Trucking is also a major employer across Australia, with over half a million Australians employed, either directly or indirectly, by the industry.

Hundreds are employed locally by the industry, including my staff, who I'd like to thank for their dedication, commitment and professionalism in the important work they do driving the local economy.

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