

Designers & Manufacturers of quality playground equipment.

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**AUSTRALIAN SMALL BUSINESS AND FAMILY  
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**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**

**RE - INSURANCE**

I am writing this letter of support for the industry-owned Discretionary Mutual Fund – also hoping for some backing for that group from the Federal Government.

Allplay Equipment is an all Australian designer, manufacturer and installation business using All Australian Labour and materials.

We have been operating for over 40 years – our clients being Councils, Schools, Kindergartens, Childcare, Architects and Landscape Architects.

Allplay has had national awards for our playgrounds.

Allplay is claim free and nothing pending.

We were close to shutting our doors last year when we were unable to secure Professional Indemnity and it went down to the last day when we managed to obtain this cover overseas.

The policy for \$5,000,000 went from approximately \$3700.00 to \$26,600.00. We now have been requested to go to \$10,000,000 which is a further increase in costs.

Product and Public Liability for \$20,000,00 each has not increased to the same extent but is still close to doubling in cost.

We struggle to keep our 15 employees going with all these increases. Small companies will find it even harder to survive.

Hoping something can be done

Kind Regards

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