

## Article A

### **Award does not help**

By EH Yeo

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Many individuals interviewed expressed the view that the workfare awards for lower-income workers may help them in the short term but eventually, it creates more problems for the households. Therefore we should stop the workfare award for lower-income groups.

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## Article B

### **Workfare award – boon or bane**

By FP Bai

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The survey carried out on 560,000 households in the Eastern and Western areas of Singapore drew concern over the workfare award. 78% of those interviewed felt that the award would create problems for the blue-collar workers.

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Despite the problems outlined previously, the scheme has proven to be helpful for the economically active over the last 2 months.

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