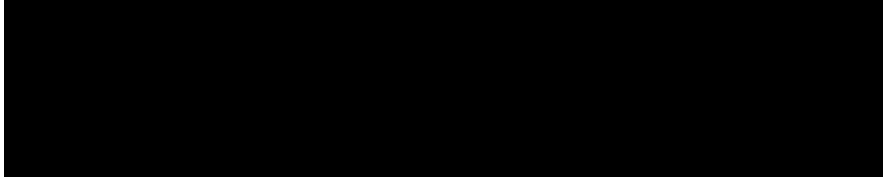

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I am an 84 year old widower and the returns that I currently receive from franking credits on my Australian shares certainly help me financially, especially today with the cost increases across the board.

I am not receiving any government pensions, my only sources of income are from my allocated pensions, which are almost exhausted and bank interest on my term deposits. My allocated pensions and bank deposits are all from the after tax money that I earned during my working career as an engineer.

I have a few shares, all in Australian companies, a choice that I and all Australians were encouraged to make by the Government of the day.

I don't believe that we, especially we older Australians, should have to "take it on the chin" at this stage in our lives, especially with the constantly rising cost of living.

Thank you,

John Arkins



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