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**Topic 1. Sustainability of current and future forestry operations in NSW**

There is no sustainability to the logging of native forests. Once the animals that are there are displaced and the large trees are felled it will take generations to recover, if at all. Australia is one of the worst offenders in the developed nations of extinction of species. This is being added to by the ongoing logging of native forests.

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**Topic 2. Environmental and cultural values of forests, including threatened species and Aboriginal cultural heritage values**

We are the guardians of the environment for future generations. Logging native forests and wiping out native species does not spell a future for these precious animals and areas. Let alone the value of trees as carbon deposits and moderators of the environment.

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**Topic 3. Demand for timber products, particularly as relates to NSW housing, construction, mining, transport and retail**

There are alternatives to almost any use of timber. Certainly plantation timber can be used in preference. The building industry is already using steel, hemp can be substituted for paper production. Wood chips can be certainly made from plantation timber. Start planting more trees for plantations on the degraded cleared soil that has been allowed to erode due to indiscriminate clearing and previous poor practices.

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**Topic 4. The future of softwood and hardwood plantations and the continuation of Private Native Forestry in helping meet timber supply needs**

Private native forestry is not required - see above. Plantation timber and alternatives should be sought.

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**Topic 5. The role of State Forests in maximising the delivery of a range of environmental, economic and social outcomes and options for diverse management, including Aboriginal forest management models**

Our native forests should be preserved for future generations and certainly a traditional aboriginal model could be used. They didn't decimate our forests - that came with white settlement.

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**Topic 6. Opportunities to realise carbon and biodiversity benefits and support carbon and biodiversity markets, and mitigate and adapt to climate change risks, including the greenhouse gas emission impacts of different uses of forests and assessment of climate change risks to forests**

Climate change is already affecting our native forests - any logging is going to make this worse.