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

The forestry industry should be limited to using plantation timber.

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

We need to maintain our forests and woodlands so that our precious fauna and flora can survive for future generations.

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

Plantation timber should be used and alternative products developed. More plantations need to be established.

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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**

More plantations should be encouraged instead of cutting down native old growth forests.

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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**

All old growth forests should be put out of the reach of harvesting.

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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**

Old growth forests and woodlands should be maintained and this will reduce the release of carbon into the environment.