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

██████████ are promoting burning of wood as sustainable and Green, I think with all the advances in renewable sources, burning pelletised timber to create electricity is cave man thinking in an advanced world. Not only are there less trees but all the fuel required to harvest our native timber makes it pollutant energy not green power,

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

It takes approximately 80 years for native trees to develop significant hollows that allow for habitation unfortunately these are the size trees currently targeted by NSW forestry, I have seen this in Myrtle, Braemar and Double Duke state forests

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

The demand can be met through forestry timber, the exotic hardwood timbers are a product fit for the rich

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 has to regulated and overseen by both local councils and local land services.

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

Burning pelletised timber, produces more greenhouse gases.