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

Logging of native forests is not sustainable and destroys thousands of tree hollows which badly affects our precious wildlife

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

The environmental impact is massive and not to be taken lightly. People need forests, they are soothing, calming. and interesting.

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

Building with steel will take a lot of the pressure off our forests, and stop termites.

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

Logging plantations is sustainable and animals are less likely to live there. Trees are not old enough to have hollows and animals don't really like pine trees.

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

How can cutting down native trees help environmental or social outcomes?

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

The more trees the better. How is LESS trees going to benefit biodiversity, carbon or gas emissions? Bulldozing native forests adds to climate change.