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

My name is Michael Streatfeild from [REDACTED], NSW. I am a retiree, father of four and grandfather of four. Over many years I have taken my children camping on coastal NSW where we have enjoyed contact with the natural environment and native fauna. I wish to take the opportunity to introduce my grandchildren to our native forest environments too. I am very concerned about the ongoing destruction of our native forests for development and logging. I believe it this destruction contributes to the extinction of many of our native species and threatens to accelerate climate change. This will only maintain our record of the highest extinction rate of mammals on the planet. I urge the panel to recommend native forest logging in NSW to cease.