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

The industry is unsustainable and unprofitable. Its also criminal...ecocide.

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

The value of forests is priceless...you cannot put a price on biodiversity, old growth, and water catchment and quality, not to mention minimising the effects of bushfires. Priceless.

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

I remember when plastic shopping bags were banned. There was outrage and outcry fir a bit but pretty soon everyone found a way around it and now its not an issue. There are/will be alternatives to using timber.

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

I'm not a fan of plantations but I guess they will have to do in the interim...before we wind down forestry for good.

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

Just leave them (forests) alone, they know what to do. Put some roads and walking trails around. Let indigenous groups manage them.

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

Just leave state forests alone.