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Dear Independent Forestry Panel Secretariat,

Please accept my submission into the sustainability of current and future forestry operations in NSW.

- I fully support an end to native forest logging and a future based on sustainable plantations.
- Logging of native forests is leading to the extinction of species, such as the Greater Glider and Koala and so cannot be described as sustainable.
- Logging public native forests is costing the taxpayer millions and leading to permanent damage to our forests. ● We need healthy forests for holding carbon, cleaning our water, providing habitat, improving fire management, providing recreation, spiritual connection and logging native forests damages all these values.

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