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I, Caroline Kohl am concerned about the tree clearing laws in QLD.

I sincerely hope that the Committee is considering the effect tree clearing has on the loss of habitat of the iconic koala.

The koala attracts a lot of tourists to Queensland, with lots of them caring for eco tourism and sustaining the environment, especially our European visitors.

Taking away more habitat through mass tree clearing, will have an impact on tourist attraction and therefore on the economy.

Furthermore I was prompted on the fact that tree clearing also impacts on the Great Barrier Reef catchments and therefore on the already struggling health of the Great Barrier Reef.

I think the Bill should be passed to protect ecologically important woodlands to safe Queenslands stunning wildlife and environment for generations to come.

Regards Caroline Kohl

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