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Dear Research Director

Re : the Vegetation Management (Reinstatement) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2016

I would like to see this bill reinstated to prevent clearing of trees without a permit in Queensland. it is important to myself and my family because we are concerned about loss of habitat for animals including koalas. Keeping trees and vegetation is important for reducing CO2 levels. We like to enjoy camping and on recent trips have noticed large areas of trees cleared on properties we pass and we were concerned and wondered whether they needed permits and if the impact on the environment was assessed.

The bill is important because it will stop large scale clearing without a permit. Protects trees next to riverbanks and helps reduce the impact on the Great Barrier Reef. It will reinstate the starting point that a landholder is responsible for clearing on their land and hopefully reduce panic clearing if this bill is introduced.

Thank you for taking the time to read our submission.

Yours sincerely

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