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The Chairman Health & Community Services Parliament House

Dear Sir or Madam.

I have spent most of my life as a self funded volunteer Raptor and Flying Fox rehabilitator licensed under the State Government as a person who is considered knowledgeable in this field of wildlife. Unless otherwise proven by a Court not to be so, I am considered an expert in this field of rehabilitation.

For your information Raptors (Birds Of Prey) are the top of the food chain. Flying foxes are the major pollinators of our native forest. Both species in this state have seen significant impacts on their numbers due to ignorant law makers, understanding nothing about our native wildlife and their needs required for their survival. In addition to recent changes in State Legislation ,. numbers of both species are declining rapidly. I know because I am just one of thousands of volunteers out in the field picking them up off the ground, at the request of the general public.

The only place wildlife have left to survive when everyone gets through developing and demanding more of everything else is Our National Parks.

Our environment in particular our National Parks are sacred grounds(the people of Qld said so)., Any changes to laws which so far has protected them from commercial use is an insult to the intelligence of the people of Qld and an abuse of power by the State Government.

In addition to this it is deceitful that the people of Qld be given so little consultation and therefore very little say with this most important issue, and given one chance to get in a submission. What about Procedural fairness.

Touch luck if you don't have a computer, or a office full of staff and a pocket full of money for solicitors that can proof read any proposed changes and the EVIDENCE that the LNP is relying on to propose such changes, let alone give you the time to respond.

I object to any changes made to the Nature Conservation Act as to do so will result in sever impacts on our environment and its wildlife. It is already pushed to the limited.

Leave our Nature Conservation Act alone.

Please accept this as my submission. Please also feel free to telephone me to clarify any points.

Yours faithfully

Lyn Laskus .

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