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Mr Stephen Wood



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I've watching the continue destruction of Victoria's forests and natural habitats for over 35 years. I've watched government after government ignore the health of Victoria's natural environment and too often actively aid in its degradation. It is now 2020 and despite all we know about the loss of biodiversity in the state, all we know about climate change, and all we know about the value of maintaining a healthy and balanced natural environment, it beggars belief that I still have to write submissions to such parliamentary inquiries. Funding for and governmental attitudes towards environmental protection in Victoria clearly continues to be grossly inadequate. Please act immediately to protect Victoria's native forests from further logging, increase funding for the creation of new national parks, strengthen laws for environmental protection and protection of our precious threatened species and their habitats.

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