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Subject: Please do not log Bermagui Forest

Dear Ministers,

Logging contractors moved into Bermagui State Forest this morning. This forest is acknowledged by Forests NSW to be koala habitat and should not be logged. The koala is on the brink of regional extinction on the far south coast and it is madness to risk its future by logging its habitat.

Native forests are far more valuable as habitat for wildlife, carbon stores and regulators of the water supply.

There is great public opposition to this logging. Is time that the Government understood that the public interest is not served by propping up this heavily subsidised, destructive industry.

Yours sincerely

Harriett Swift

Between 2,500 and 3,000 trees from SE NSW and East Gippsland are cut down every working day to supply the Eden chipmill

CHIPSTOP campaign against woodchipping the SE forests, PO Box 797 Bega NSW 2550 Australia,  
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