

**Submission
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INQUIRY INTO CROWN LAND IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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The Premier of NSW Mr Mike Baird MP and Government

I respectfully submit that all remaining Crown Land in NSW should be preserved in perpetuity. Enough land has been cleared and/or altered to provide for farming agriculture, transport and human habitation to cater for our needs well into the future.

All original and old-growth forest is particularly precious and all efforts must be made to preserve and improve it. All efforts must be made to protect old trees.

Travelling Stock Reserves must be maintained as critical wildlife corridors and refuges.

Alternately, land held privately can be assessed for its efficient and practical use, and improved.

The unique landscape of NSW must be protected for our future generations and the benefit of what will become the major income for the State -- Tourism.

Sincerely

Ian Bailey