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INQUIRY INTO CROWN LAND IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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Crown Lands provide habitat for many endangered plants and animals and should be kept in the hands of the people of NSW and managed in a scientific way to promote the conservation of these plants and animals. They are particularly important in providing wetlands for migratory birds that Australia has pledged to support in treaties and agreements. The populations of migratory birds world wide are crashing and we in Australia should be leading not disposing of these areas.

Crown Lands are also important in cities in providing protection for plants and animals, as well as being important natural areas for people to enjoy.

I am a keen birdwatcher and volunteer in urban bushland and I am sure that many hundreds of people in birdwatching clubs and bushcare organisations across NSW echo my thoughts.