

Dear Minister Upton and Office of Environment and Heritage,

I am calling on you to ensure effective conservation of koalas across their range in NSW.

The basic method of koala conservation is to protect habitats, and reduce other threats to the populations where they occur. There needs to be stricter limits on logging in koala habitat in both public and private lands, and an end to land clearing of private land where koalas occur

I do not agree with the new native vegetation clearing laws. We cannot protect koalas by just spending a few million dollars on habitat protection.

I urge you to take meaningful action to save this beloved, iconic species.

Sincerely,

John brickhill