

Dear Minister Upton and Office of Environment and Heritage,

Most people probably just send the message which is recommended here. To be honest, I have no idea why people think that koala is the world's favourite animal. Most of people worldwide have dogs or cats, while koala is staying unique and unusual. That's why the Australian government should take care about the country characteristic species. The protection should base on things that are necessary for animals. I mean, the habitat. The forests are homes for them and the protection of forests will equal the protection of koalas. I'm not an usual fighter for animals rights but I suppose that the Australian trademark can't just disappear because of cutting down the trees. Please, include in your plans taking care about animals natural habitat. Once upon a time, those animals can just pass away... I dream about coming to Australia one day and seeing them in real life. I hope it will be possible.

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