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Should there be an aspirational goal for biodiversity conservation?

Yes, let's conserve biodiversity without stealing from farmers.

Given available evidence about the value and state of the environment, are the existing legislative objects still valid? Do the current objects align with international and national frameworks, agreements, laws, obligations? If not, what objects are required?

No Answer

To what extent are the current objects being met?

Restrictive environmental laws have alienated the managers of the land. How pray tell do expect to get a positive outcome from of this.

Could the objects of the current laws be simplified and integrated? If so, how?

Obviously yes. It is despicable the way this society treats the ones who feed it.

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Is the current system effective in encouraging landowners to generate public benefits from their land and rewarding them as environmental stewards? Or are current mechanisms too focused on requiring private landowners to protect ecosystem services and biodiversity at their own cost?

NO it is not. It is an absolute disgrace!

Are there elements of the current system for private land conservation that raise impediments (for example, binding nature of agreements and potential loss of production) for individuals who want to manage their land for conservation? If so what are they? What incentives might be effective, efficient and equitable in promoting biodiversity conservation on private land?

Try E zones that rezone farmers land to environmental land! This is regulatory theft, if you want a farmers land how about trying the novel approach of buying it!

What should be the role of organisations and bodies, such as the Nature Conservation Trust, in facilitating and managing private land conservation through mechanisms such as conservation and biobanking agreements?

There is no roll for them on privately owned land.

How should the government determine priorities for its investment in biodiversity conservation while enabling and encouraging others (e.g. community groups) to contribute to their own biodiversity conservation priorities?

No Answer

How can the effectiveness of conservation programs be monitored and evaluated?

No Answer

How should any tradeoffs be assessed?

No Answer

To what extent is the system forward looking or dealing with legacy impacts?

No Answer

To what extent does current practice (rather than the legislation) determine outcomes?

No Answer

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Other comments

Why do you think it is acceptable to use regulation to take the only substantial asset most farmers own? Why do you expect farmers to carry the entire load for this community? Why do you allow draconian environmental restrictions undermine farmers competitiveness? Where is your common decency?