

Regional Forest Agreement framework questionnaire

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Select your interests: Conservation reserve system, Threatened species, Recreation and tourism

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How effective do you think the RFAs have been : Not effective

What elements would you want to see retained and remain unchanged :

What elements would you want to change?: 1. The protection of the forests' biodiversity and species would be significantly improved if regulated under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999. This should occur. 2. Community rights for third party civil enforcement be urgently restored. 3. That RFAs be subject to independent, strong performance auditing. 4. Proactive, thorough and better ecological and threatened species information be reported for forests. 5. Compliance modelling and enforcement be improved

Simplifying the RFAs and removing redundant or duplicated commitments?: Not very important

Maintaining a strong focus on triple bottom line outcomes?: Very important

Updating references to legislation, codes of practice or new regulation? : Important

Alignment with contemporary policies and programs?: Important

Alignment with the National Forest Policy Statement and global agreements on sustainable forestry?: Important

Improving review and reporting requirements: Very important

What improvements could be made to the five yearly review and consultation processes?: It should be made more transparent and better communicated to the public, so that the public is more fully aware of their right to comment.

What improvements

could be made to support the day-to-day implementation of RFAs?:

What further research and monitoring could be important to consider for future RFAs?:

Better, proactive information about ecological communities and threatened species be reported for Australian and NSW forests

What improvements could be made to RFA related communication?:

What improvements could be made to the RFA implementation framework to support a rolling extension mechanism?:

What other improvements could be made to the RFA framework?:

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