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Subject: Logging Industry Wants to Import More Loggers - Jobs are going unfilled

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Dear Editor,

I have read that the logging industry is appealing to Chris Bowen, the Federal Minister for Immigration and Citizenship, that loggers be included in the special visas for occupations in short supply.

This request should be rejected. We don't need any more native trees cut down and we certainly don't need to import people to cut them down. The forest logging industry is always crying out about protecting jobs, but apparently they can't even fill the jobs they have on offer.

Yours truly,

Lois Katz