



# ***SOUTH EAST FOREST RESCUE***

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Attn: Mr Steve Hartley,  
Manager, Crown Forestry Policy and Regulation, EPRG  
Dept. Environment, Climate Change and Water.

## **RE: BREACHES OF SOUTHERN IFOA-TSL and EPL, MOGO SF, CPT 160**

Dear EPRG,

Further to our breach report of 21/10/10 SEFR conducted a further audit of Mogo State Forest compartment 160 and found the following breaches of the South Coast region IFOA-TSL and EPL.

Please note that all GPS coordinates are produced from a Garmin E-trex 12 channel GPS unit with settings at:

position format:	UTM/UPS
map datum:	WGS84
units	metric
North ref:	grid
variance:	002° E

### **EPL**

- On Buckenbours Rd at 0235707/6036370 there has been incursion into the 2nd order stream.
- An unmapped drainage line was logged adjacent to the fork in 160/2 Road at about 0235611/6036581.
- Along 160/2 Rd on the north side of the road there has been incursion into the 1st order streams.
- Along 160/2 Rd there has been incursions into 3rd order stream south of dump 15. (5.7.1 of TSL).
- On 160/3 Road while trying to ascertain whether there had been a breach of the TSL- retained Owl Roost tree, we were unable to proceed as at Dump 11 a huge amount of bark, dirt and stones was piled on the road.

### **TSL cl 5.6 - Retained Tree Breaches:**

#### *On B-Tree Road:*

- Traverses around the harvest area identified adjacent to Dump 12 Yellow-bellied Glider Feed Tree damaged by burning at 0238187/6036757. There is off cuts beside it which seem to bear the traces of mark up paint resembling an R. There is a dearth of trees over 30cm dboh.
- H tree with no head 0237618/6036753

#### *On 160/3 Road:*

- H trees with no heads 0238033/6036818

#### *On 160/4 Road:*

- H tree used as bumper at 0237475/6037032
- Debris around H tree at 0237465/6037103

- R tree with no head 0237424/6037292
- H with no head
- Hollow bearing tree felled 0237352/6037584
- Inadequate H & R trees retained in NHA

We would also ask DECCW to investigate the alleged 40m Ridge and Headwater Habitat zone for incursions.

We would again contend that this operation was not conducted in compliance with the IFOA and request regulatory action on this matter.

Kind Regards,

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