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Dear Sir

I am very much a stakeholder as I have made around 230 complaints, unsuccessfully, to various entities about the dishonest activities of the environmental organisation Australian Rainforest Foundation, or Rainforest Trust Australia as it nowadays likes to call itself. This organisation has caused substantial damage to my property, the local area, other communities and Australia as a whole.

1. Yes all DGR`s should be registered

2. No

3. No, there is too much privacy already. If they want privacy they should not expect a benefit from the public purse. The ACNC will not even say whether or not it is conducting an investigation, an unhelpful thing to do to a plaintiff. Even membership lists should be available to the public.

4. No, item 12 should cover this.

5. No

6. DGR`s should not complain about any reporting burden. Many have highly paid CEO`s and other staff yet the burden is less than on a small business. If they want a benefit, do the reporting.

7. Believe that all administration should be centralised in the ACNC, with mandatory reporting by other entities (ATO Department of Environment and E etc) of complaints to the ACNC. Also State offices of Fair Trading and the like, should also report complaints about DGR`s to the ACNC.

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9. Yes ,should be annual certification.

10. Priority reviewing should be given to DGR`s who have had complaints made about them.

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12. Yes no less than 50% should be spent on remediation, with more details about contractors and projects available to the public.

13. The ACNC governance standards are currently too low as are the directors liability and penalties.

Thank You
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