

Balcas Timber

To whom it concerns,

I wish to express my support for the Forestry Bill 2020. As a Leitrim person born and reared and living there all my life, I make my living in the sawmilling industry which is currently being held to ransom.

- There are long delays to licences caused by the FAC
- The FAC cannot cope with the workload
- This is hindering forestry activity and damaging the industry
- It is vital that the FAC is reformed to make it fit for purpose
- I support the proposed changes
- Peoples livelihoods are at stake here.