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Comments: To whom it may concern.I am writing in opposition to the proposed Telephone Gap logging operation.I believe we need wilderness left alone more than we need forest products and short term profits for those involved in this ill advised venture.Many watersheds will be affected and wildlife will suffer.Noise, air and water pollution will result.Soil erosion and degraded recreation will also happen.I, like many Vermonters cherish not only quiet wilderness experiences but also the comfort of knowing we live in a State that takes good care of it's natural treasures,not selling them off for all the wrong reasons.