Quiz about “ecocide”

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What is ecocide?

Check by reading this short text:

http://eewiki.newint.org/index.php/The_Earth_needs_a_good_lawyer
Quiz: True or False?

Watch the first 5 mins of this TED talk to see if these 4 statements are True or False:

http://tedxtalks.ted.com/video/TEDxExeter-Polly-Higgins-Ecocid

1) The thought that changed Polly’s life was that the Earth has rights.

2) 750 million people already agree that the Earth has rights.

3) Polly says that ecocide is as bad as genocide.

4) All 5 “crimes against peace” were agreed just after World War 2.
Interesting? Now watch the rest of the TED talk. As you watch, think about:

• How is “wellbeing of the people” related to the environment?
• Is the destruction of the environment similar to slavery?
• How is “profit” related to “ecocide”?
• How is “ecocide” related to natural justice?