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Dear Mr. Christensen.

My name is Friedel Schwaetter and I live in Germany in an area between the cities Colgne and Dortmund.

In Aug. 2000 I participated in a 3 week cance trip on the Nahanni River. Before I did the Nahanni I went to Australia, Arizona, California, the Canadian-Rockies, Alaska and other destinations. But nothing was comparable to the unique and remote Nahanni National Park.

I heard about plans of the Canadian Zinc Corporation (CZC) to reopen a mine in the Nahanni area. Please try to avoid this. The cumulative effect of the Prarie Creek Mine is a threat to Nahanni Nat. Park and must be terminated immediately. Please continue the initiative to expand the borders of Nahanni National Park.

Please excuse me because my English is not so good, but I hope I could point out my worries concerning this wonderful landscape.

Sincerely

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