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Comments: La preservaci[on] de los territorios del Alto Rapid Creek, por su alt[isimo] valor ambiental - adem[as] de su significado hist[orico]- debe ser una absoluta prioridad para la Administraci[on] de Estados Unidos; de ah[ue] que resulte necesario e imprescindible exigir la inmediata retirada de las empresas mineras de este lugar.

Es por ello que manifiesto mi apoyo pleno a este retiro, y con m[uch]a raz[on] cuando estamos asistiendo a un colapso ambiental generalizado de dimensiones nunca imaginadas. El agua, la naturaleza virgen, los bosques forman parte de las [unicas] soluciones de futura para la supervivencia. Creo necesario referir que -a prop[osito] de escribirles desde Espa[ña]- la sensibilidad ambiental no conoce fronteras.

Por ello solicito al Servicio Forestal , desde la preocupaci[on] por el futuro y el respeto a los [ultimos] rincones de naturaleza preservados desde siempre por los pueblos originarios, que sea agilizada con la mayor celeridad posible la propuesta de Retiro al Secretario del Departamento del Interior.

English Translation:

The preservation of the Upper Rapid Creek territories, due to their high environmental value - in addition to their historical significance - must be an absolute priority for the United States Administration; hence, it is necessary and essential to demand the immediate withdrawal of mining companies from this place. That is why I fully support this retreat, and even more so when we are witnessing a general environmental collapse of dimensions never imagined. Water, virgin nature, forests are part of the only future solutions for survival. I think it is necessary to mention that -in regards to writing to you from Spain- environmental sensitivity knows no borders. For this reason, I request the Forest Service, out of concern for the future and respect for the last corners of nature always preserved by the indigenous peoples, to expedite the proposal for Withdrawal to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior as quickly as possible.