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Ref.: **Forest Development Plan for the Quill Creek Bench
Harvest Planning Area in the Haines Junction Area**

Dear Sirs,

a few days ago we received the Forest Development Plan, mentioned above.

Already on Febr. 15th 2005 we voiced our concerns regarding this program, especially from our point of view as Tour Operator in that area.

By now the situation here at Quill Creek as taken another degree of seriousness for us.

We are shocked to see that logging shall take place direktly at the doorsteps of our home.

Plus the report does not say exactly how long the logging will take place.

If the logging is taking place as outlined in the report not only our lifestyle will be threatened by the noise but our life and income itself.

Our guests, being tourists, are seeking QUIETNESS and RELAXIATION, which we were able to provide - up to now! How on earth will we be able to provide this again in the future. If you got an answer to this question, we very much would appreciate to hear it.

As the final plan is apparently made and it seems a private person has no say in it any more, we would like to ask you for the following favour:

Please advise the logging trail which will be used within the Operating Unit No. 3 to get from area 3E to area 3G to be moved northward as shown on our attached map. This will lead all the logging traffic further away from our home and the machinery being used would not be heard as loud (noise disturbance).

Enclosed please find our proposed route marked with ----- on the attached copy of Operating Unit No. 3.

Sincerely



Robert Perren



73
NP
74.43

85
SA
3B4
416.03

76
SA
3B3P
199.86

80
S
3B5P
88.52

77
SA
3B4P
54.41

Haines Junction
10.4 km

Haines Road

Kluane
National Park
and Reserve

Quill Creek Branch

Quill
Creek

3E

3F

3D

3B

3A

3H

3G