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Concerns: Registration of the KPHL Kapuas area, Central Kalimantan, Indonesia, in the VCA platform.

Dear Sir, Madam,

Through this letter I wish to express my strong support for the application by the Kasatuan Pengelolaan Hutan Lindung (KPHL) Kapuas to be registered in the Verified Conservation Area register. I have visited the KPHL area on several occasions in the past years and I can testify to its rich biodiversity including being one of the main remaining habitats of orang utan. The area currently has only low form of protection and inclusion in the registry would make a major difference to conserving the tropical peat forests of the KPHL area.

With kind regards,

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