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Dear Ambassador,

I am pleased to transmit here enclosed the ICOMOS Advisory Mission report regarding a potential extension of the World Heritage property "Defence Line of Amsterdam", that took place September last.

Please kindly find the report in the Annex of this letter.

Let me take this opportunity to thank you for your co-operation in the implementation of the *World Heritage Convention*, and please accept, dear Ambassador, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,


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