







Appendix

	
<p>Figure 1: Birim river before illegal activities <i>Source: ghananewsagency</i></p>	<p>Figure 2: Farmer use contaminated water from River Birim to irrigate his crops. <i>Source: Graphiconline</i></p>
	
<p>Figure 3: The Birim River in its polluted state <i>Source: Graphiconline</i></p>	<p>Figure 4: Flooding of river Birim as a result of illegal mining. <i>Source: ghananewsagency</i></p>
	
<p>Figure 5: Talking to miners at a small scale mining spot along the tributaries of the Birim River <i>Source: NL. Embassy in Ghana</i></p>	<p>Figure 6: Destruction to forest ecosystem by miners. <i>Source: heidiwoodman.com/goldfever</i></p>