

Dear President ADL France, please forward it to the President of the ADL

Report from the Lao people:

In the early morning of 10/05/2018 it was observed in the village of Ban *Sephon*, province of *Savanakhet*, that the *Sanpaper* company in has capped poison in the creek *Koaki*, which flows into the river *Sebanhieng*. As a result, many animals died, including frogs, snails, crabs and fish. Also some cows and buffalos died.



On May 11, 2018, residents of *Thangone* District, *Xaythany* Province reported that Vietnam's garbage disposal factories were dumping wastewater into the *Nam Ngum* River, resulting in fish mortality. But when the authorities came to see this, it was forbidden for the population to publish it. This company is active in many areas, including the following: Gold mines in small businesses, which are operated as a subsidiary directly by Vietnamese. This company was requested as a development project at the city project. However, the proceeds and profits are not taxed, but remunerations go to private individuals from the authorities. The gold from this company is transported to *Laobao* (Vietnam). The profit goes completely to Vietnam, the Laotian population only gets the damage.



Appel: Please report these problems to the international community, that the government and the party of the Lao PDR together with the foreign investors destroy the nature and the water in Laos.
In Laos on May 13, 2018 from *Khamseng Sengmani*