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Uranium Mining

I am appalled at the frequency
with which EPA flouts the regulations
by allowing water to escape from its
tailing ponds into the Masela Creek
system. If Ranger is allowed to operate it
must be properly supervised.

I think the Jabiruka mine should be
closed down and revegetated.

I am also very concerned about the
repeated accidents at the Beverley and
Honeywood mines which use the dubious
in-situ leaching process which may be
contaminating groundwater.

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