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Dear Johanne,

My belief as to when a diamond comes into being would be at the final polishing stage. Definitely it is diamond before, but in the form of rough. It's the same as calling a lump of steel a car. It's not really until it has gone through the manufacturing process.

Canadian Diamond to me is one that has been mined, cut and polished here in Canada. If it leaves Canada (rough), how do you know it's Canadian when it returns?? Purchasers expectations are that the diamond was completely manufactured here in our country.

When I discuss the origin of diamonds I like to let the consumer know that it's origin is where it was cut.

Sincerely,



Larry Oakden