



Opportunities in the Nigerian Mining Sector

A half day conference at the London Stock Exchange featuring an interactive briefing with the Honourable Mrs Diezani Alison Madueke, Minister of Mines and Steel Development, Federal Republic of Nigeria

With at least 34 minerals identified in commercial quantities in 450 locations spread across all states of the country, the Federal Republic of Nigeria now strongly focused on economic diversification, offers significant opportunities to international mining companies and investors. Recent reforms in the sector, including the enactment of new mining laws, geophysical mapping of the country, action against illegal mining and the development of new mining concessions are creating new opportunities for international participation in what has been an underdeveloped sector in Nigeria. The Minister would be highlighting major mining rights and concessions that are available for global miners seeking to increase and grow their global assets.

Venue:

London Stock Exchange
10 Paternoster Square, London, EC4M 7LS, United Kingdom

Date / Time:

Monday 28th September 2009, 8.00am – 1:00pm (Networking lunch follows immediately)

Agenda:

8:30am Registration & Coffee

9:30am - 9:40am Introduction
Xavier Rolet, Chief Executive Officer, London Stock Exchange

9:40am - 10:10am Keynote address – creating a durable and investor friendly framework for mining in Nigeria
The Honourable Mrs Diezani Alison - Madueke
Minister of Mines and Steel Development, Federal Republic of Nigeria

10:10am - 10:30am Questions and Answers with the Minister

10:30am – 10:40am Nigeria – Country Overview
Chris Newson, Managing Director/CEO, Stanbic IBTC Plc

10:40am - 12:00pm Panel Session- Challenges & Opportunities for Mining in Nigeria – worlthe international perspective

Chair: **Dr. Elena Clarici**, Treasurer, Association of Mining Analysts, London
Panelists: **Prof. Siyan Malomo**, Director General, Nigerian Geological. Survey Agency, Nigeria
Engr. Sheik Goni, Director General, Mining Cadastre Office (MCO), Nigeria
Dr. Laurence Robb, Savannah Gold Ltd
Tracey Pierce, Head of Equity Primary Markets, London Stock Exchange

12:00pm – 1:30pm Networking lunch

2.30pm – 4.30pm One – to – Meetings with the Hon. Minister as may have been requested and arranged.
This is a fully sponsored program, attendance is free and by invitation only – however, space is limited.
To register for this event and / or to request meetings with the Hon. Minister, please email Lorraine@businessinafricaevents.com or call 020 7582 2904 / 07932 675 591.



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