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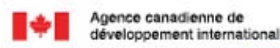
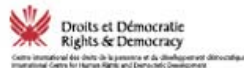


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## Special Conference

### THE “FILIÈRE” APPROACH TO MINING IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup> 2006

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**7:00 – 7:15 PM : OPENING AND WELCOMING REMARKS**

– **BONNIE CAMPBELL**

– Director, Groupe de recherche sur les activités minières en Afrique (GRAMA)

– **DENIS TOUGAS**

– Table de concertation sur la Région des Grands Lacs

**7:15 – 9:30 PM : ISSUES AND CHALLENGES OF SEVERAL MINING SECTORS IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO**

– **YVES COMTOIS**

– Project Director, SNC-Lavalin Environnement Inc.

*Environmental Impacts of Copper and Cobalt Mining Operations in Katanga*

– **PATRICK MARTINEAU**

– Researcher, GRAMA

*The Coltan Filière in the Democratic Republic of Congo*

– **JEANNINE MUKANIRWA TSHIMPAMBU**

– Chargée de programme Genre et droits des femmes, Centre National d'Appui au Développement et à la Participation Populaire (CENADEP) (RDC)

*The Diamond Filière in Kasai*

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**8 :00 – 8 :30 AM : REGISTRATION**

### MINERAL EXTRACTION IN THE DRC AND EVOLVING FORMS OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC REGULATION: AN OVERVIEW

**8 :30 – 9 :00 AM : OPENING REMARKS**

– PETER LEUPRECHT

Director, Institut d'Études internationales de Montréal

– DENIS TOUGAS

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– BONNIE CAMPBELL

Director, Groupe de recherche sur les activités minières en Afrique (GRAMA)  
*Governance and the Mining Sector*

**9 :00 – 10 :45 AM : POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC REGULATION AND THE EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRY IN THE DRC**

– ERIK KENNES

Researcher, Musée Royal de l'Afrique Centrale, Tervuren (Bruxelles)

*The Recomposition of Political Power and the Mining Sector : Developments since Kabila's Rise to Power*

– KADARI MWENE KABYANA

Representative, Table de concertation sur la Région des Grands Lacs

*Report of the Special Commission on the Economic Conventions Ratified during the 1996-97 and 1998 Wars*

– NIKKI REISCH

Africa Program Manager, Bank Information Center (Washington)

*The World Bank Role in the Mining Sector Reform in the DRC and the Restructuring of GECAMINES*

**10 :45 – 11 :15 AM : BREAK**

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**11:15 AM – 1:00 PM: PERSPECTIVES FROM THE FIELD: STAKEHOLDERS AND LOCAL IMPACTS**

- **MARTIN JONES**  
Vice President, Corporate Development, Banro Corporation  
*The Challenges to Mining: Weighing Risks and Opportunities in the DRC*
- **CHUCK RISING**  
Human Resources Director-Africa, Phelps Dodge Mining Company  
*The Challenges to Mining: Weighing Risks and Opportunities in the DRC*
- **Mgr FULGENCE MUTEBA**  
Bishop, Kilwa-Kasenga Diocese (DRC)  
*Mining and Community Development : The Challenges of Local Governance*
- **JULIENNE LUSENGE MALYABWANA**  
Présidente, Cadre de concertation et d’action pour la défense du droit des femmes (RDC)  
*Mining impacts on women’s in Ituri*

**1 :00 – 2 :00 PM: BREAK/LUNCH**

**TOWARDS NEW FORMS OF REGULATION AND GOVERNANCE PRACTICES**

**2 :00 – 3 :30 PM : INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSES**

- **DÉSIRÉ NKOY ELELA**  
Assistant Coordinator of the Interim Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI) Committee (DRC)  
*National Level: The Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI) in the DRC : Stakes and Challenges*
- **ANNE LEAHY**  
Canada’s Ambassador to the Great Lakes Region  
*Regional Level: The International Conference for the Great Lakes Region : The Struggle Against the Illegal Extraction of Natural Resources*
- **BERNARD PATRY**  
Liberal Member of Parliament for Pierrefonds-Dollard, former President of the Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and International Trade and International President of the Assemblée parlementaire de la Francophonie (APF)  
*Canadian Level: The Mining Sector in the DRC and the Role of the Canadian Government*

**3 :30 – 4 :00 PM : BREAK**

**4 :00 – 5 :15 PM : INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSES (SECOND PART)**

- **DIDIER VERBRUGGEN**  
Researcher, International Peace Information Service (IPIS vzw) (Antwerp)  
*Domestic Politics as the Key to Change*
- **DIANA BRONSON**  
Coordinator, Globalization & Human Rights Programme, Rights & Democracy  
*Tools to Evaluate the Impact of Mining Investments on Human Rights*
- **JIM FREEDMAN**  
Professor Emeritus, University of Western Ontario  
*Host Governments, Home Governments and Corporate Social Responsibility*

**5 :15 – 6 :00 PM : SYNTHESIS AND CONCLUDING REMARKS**

- **MADELAINE DROHAN**  
Journalist, *The Economist* correspondent and author of *Making a Killing : How Corporations Use Armed Force to Do Business*

**6 :00 PM : CLOTURE**