

Canada-EU Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement – Art 25.4

Bilateral Dialogue on Raw Materials

Agenda – November 16, 2018

Albert Borschette Congress Center Congress Center, Room 0003/4

Rue Froissart 36 – Brussels

BRIEFING Discussion on Responsible Mining & Sourcing

Chairman – [REDACTED]

GOVERNMENT SESSION

13:45 – 14:45 Discussion on Responsible Mining & Sourcing

- Welcome [REDACTED] (NatRCan) who joined the meeting by video-conference and the Government of Ontario ([REDACTED] [REDACTED]) joining by phone
- Relevant Commission services attending the meeting: DEVCO, TRADE

13:45 - 14:00 Presentation from Canada on sustainable mining, responsible business conduct and related initiatives

[REDACTED], Director, International Affairs and Trade Division, Lands and Minerals Sector, Natural Resources Canada

14:00 - 14:15 EU initiatives on responsible and sustainable mining and sourcing

[REDACTED], Deputy Head of Unit, Resource Efficiency and Raw Materials, European Commission

14:15 – 14:25 Q&A

14:25 – 14:45 Discussion of opportunities for collaboration, including how to jointly promote the values of responsible and ethical mining and sourcing in international *fora*

- Agree on the advantages to continue an exchange of good practices on sustainable mining;
- Explore how can we coordinate efforts to promote globally the values of sustainable and responsible mining and sourcing;

- Discuss how the coordinated efforts can contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals and to responsible and ethic industrial value chains;
- Discuss which international *fora* would be more appropriate to take coordinated action

14:45 – 15:00 Break - Stakeholders join the meeting
