

DRAFT NOTIFICATION of MEMBERSHIP
for the
Intergovernmental Forum on Mining, Minerals, Metals and Sustainable
Development

The [Government of _____ OR Ministry responsible for Mining of _____] has the honour to refer to the Intergovernmental Forum on Mining, Minerals, Metals, and Sustainable Development partnership initiated by the Governments of Canada and South Africa to support the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development, as contained in the Johannesburg Plan of Implementation, particularly as they relate to mining, minerals and metals - "The Forum".

The [Government of _____ OR Ministry responsible for Mining of _____] wishes to confirm its acceptance of the Terms of References and the draft Rules of Procedure of the Forum, the latter to be adopted at the first meeting of the General Session of the Forum. Further, the [Government of _____ OR Ministry responsible for Mining of _____] would like to express its desire to become a member of the Forum. In doing so, the [Government of _____ OR Ministry responsible for Mining of _____] designates the Department (Ministry or Agency), [which has primary responsibility for the development of either the mining, minerals, or metals sector], as the focal point for communications with the Forum Secretariat, which will be located in the Department of Natural Resources, in Ottawa, Canada. The coordinates of our Focal point are as follows (name, mailing address, telephone number, fax, and e-mail).

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