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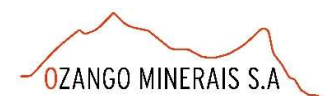


Pre-event – 22nd November 2023	
10:00	SET UP OF THE STANDS
14:00	REGISTRATION AND COLLECTION OF BADGES
19:00 – 21:00	OFFICIAL OPENING COCKTAIL SPONSORED BY SODIAM Ballroom, HCTA, Talatona  SODIAM.E.P. <small>EMPRESA NACIONAL DE COMERCIALIZAÇÃO DE DIAMANTES DE ANGOLA</small>

DAY 1 – 23rd November 2023 – 1ST DAY OF THE CONFERENCE	
07:30 – 09:00	REGISTRATION AND PARTICIPANTS TO BE SEATED IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM
08:30 – 10:00	OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY National Anthem <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome Remarks from Organisers Opening Remarks by Hon. Mr. Diamantino Pedro Azevedo, Minister of Mineral Resources and Oil and Gas of Angola Signing of Contracts/MOU <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Video Message by Dr. David Applegate, Director, United States Geological Survey, USGS - José Manuel, CEO, Instituto Geológico de Angola (IGEO), Tulinabo S. Mushingi, Ambassador to the United States in Angola, United States Geological Survey (USGS) - Jacinto Rocha, CEO, Agência Nacional de Recursos Minerais (ANRM) / Marna Cloete, Presidente, Ivanhoe Group Opening Speech by Hon. Mr. Diamantino Pedro Azevedo, Minister of Mineral Resources and Oil and Gas of Angola
10:00 – 11:00	OFFICIAL TOUR OF THE EXHIBITION
10:30 – 11:00	NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK SPONSORED BY MAQMAN 
10:50 – 11:10	Keynote Speech – Tasso Mendonça Junior, Director, ANM Brasil



11:15 – 12:30	<p>SESSION 1 – (PRESENTATIONS AND PANEL DISCUSSION) ANGOLA'S VISION FOR SUSTAINABLE MINERAL RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT</p>
<p>11:10 – 11:20</p> <p>11:20 – 11:30</p> <p>11:30 – 11:40</p> <p>11:40 – 11:50</p> <p>11:50 – 12:00</p> <p>12:00 – 12:10</p>	<p>OBJECTIVE: The purpose of this panel discussion is to deepen the critical priority actions outlined in the National Development Plan (PDN) 2023-2027 for the development of mineral resources in Angola, focusing specifically on improving the legal-legal framework and enhancing geological information. The discussion aims to:</p> <p>PRESENTATIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Highlight the importance of geological data and knowledge in the conduct of effective activities of exploration and exploitation of mineral resources – IGEO - Promote the transparency of the Angolan legal and regulatory framework governing the development of mineral resources to create an investor-friendly environment – ANRM - ENDIAMA's vision in the face of the current challenges in the diamond industry – ENDIAMA - Investment Opportunities in the Rough Diamond Cutting Industry in Angola – SODIAM - A regional perspective in creating collaboration, knowledge exchange and interaction among participants, promoting partnerships that support Angola's mineral resource development goals – MIASA - The experience of Brasil in the sustainable development of the mineral resources - ANM
12:10 – 12:45	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION MODERATOR: Jânio da Rosa Corrêa Victor, Secretary of State for Mineral Resources, MIREMPET</p> <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - José Manuel, PCA, Geological Institute of Angola (IGEO) - Jacinto Rocha, PCA, Angolan National Agency for Mineral Resources (ANRM) - Manuel Ganga Júnior, PCA, ENDIAMA E.P. * - Eugênio Bravo da Rosa, PCA, SODIAM E.P. - Vusi Mabena, Executive Secretary, Mining Industry Association of Southern Africa (MIASA) - Tasso Mendonça Junior, Director, Agência Nacional de Mineração (ANM)
12:45 – 13:45	<p>SESSION 2 – (PRESENTATION AND PANEL DISCUSSION) MINING PROSPECTION IN FACE OF TECHNOLOGY MODERNIZATION</p>



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	<p>SPONSORED BY OZANGO MINERAIS SA</p> <p>OBJECTIVE: As global paradigms and priorities shift to support transformation in developed markets, Angola finds itself in the enviable position of possessing significant reserves in critical strategic minerals such as lithium, iron ore and nickel, copper, cobalt and manganese, among others. This session will provide knowledge and updates on Angola's vision and plans to accelerate investments, exploration and production of these minerals to support national economic development plans and contribute to international climate goals.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Big picture: Global demand outlook and supply forecasts - Critical minerals: What is the importance and diversity of industrial applications - Building Sustainable Mineral Supply Chains <p>PRESENTATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Good practices in mining exploration – The importance of certification and declaration of mineral resources and reserves – Dr. Clinton Birch, Professor, University of the Witwatersrand (WITS) <p>MODERATOR: Dr. Luiz Bizzi, Co-Chairman and a Director, Lipari Diamond Mines Ltd</p> <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - João Paulino Júlio Chimuco, Executive Administrator, ANMR - Dr. Doug Aitken, Executive Director, Sustainable Minerals Institute International Centre of Excellence Chile - Marcus Schaefer, Regional Director Africa, Anglo American - Alcídio José, Chairman, Ozango Minerais SA - Marna Cloete, President, Ivanhoe Mines - Giuseppe Paolo Graziano, Non-Executive Chairman, Tyranna Resources Ltd, Australia - Dr. Clinton Birch, Professor, University of the Witwatersrand (WITS)
13:45 – 14:45	<p>LUNCH BREAK SPONSORED BY ANRM</p> 
15:00 – 16:00	<p>SESSION 3 – (PRESENTATION AND PANEL DISCUSSION) CURRENT STATE OF MINING IN ANGOLA: CONSTRAINTS & PERSPECTIVES SPONSORED BY</p> 
	<p>OBJECTIVE: Against the backdrop of the global economic slowdown, rising interest rates, and supply chain pressures, this session will focus on and present the selection of leading private sector investors in Angola's mining sector who have managed to succeed</p>

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15:00 – 15:15	<p>and overcome various challenges to contribute to Angola's economic and social development.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Constraints and perspectives of the main mining companies operating in Angola
15:15 – 16:00	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION</p> <p>MODERATOR: Djanira Santos, Executive Administrator, Angolan National Agency for Mineral Resources (ANRM)</p> <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Luiz Bizzi, Co-Chairman and a Director, Lipari Diamond Mines Ltd - Asareh Mansoori, General Manager, Cabinda Phosphate Project, (Minbos Resources) - Elias Cipriano, Vice President of APEPA, HM Granitos / HM Group - Paulo Pinheiro, Director Geral, SM. Buco Zau / Lufo
16:00 – 16:30	NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK
16:30 – 17:30	SESSION 4 - (PRESENTATION AND PANEL DISCUSSION) DEVELOP A WORKFORCE FOR EXCELLENCE, DIVERSITY AND ECONOMIC GROWTH
	<p>OBJECTIVE: This session will address the key challenges of the mining industry, such as establishing an exceptional workforce, overcoming the lack of skilled staff, improving training, career progression, and advancing gender diversity and inclusion. Our aim is to explore these multifaceted challenges and identify strategies for a more sustainable and inclusive future for the sector.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is MIREMPET's strategy to mitigate the lack of qualified personnel? What about implementation plans? - What are the key competencies that define an exceptional workforce in mining? - How to create an agile workforce to respond to changing market dynamics and technological advancements in AI? - Implement training and skills programs to help cultivate a highly proficient workforce - Develop initiatives and policies to promote gender, diversity and inclusion - International trends: What lessons can be learned from other regions? - How Catoca is training a new generation of professionals? <p>MODERATOR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Eng Engracia Soito, Director, SM Catoca <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Domingos Sousa, Head of Department, National Directorate of Training and Local Content, MIREMPET

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17:30	DAY 1 – CLOSING REMARKS AND SUMMARY OF THE DAY
20:00 – 22:00	<p>OFFICIAL GALA DINNER SPONSORED BY CATOCA</p> <p>Ballroom, HCTA, Talatona</p> 


DAY 2 – 24th November 2023 – 2ND DAY OF THE CONFERENCE

08:00 – 09:00	REGISTRATION
08:30 – 09:30	<p>SESSION 5 - (PANEL DISCUSSION) CHALLENGES OF THE INTERNATIONAL DIAMOND MARKET</p> <p>OBJECTIVE: The crisis in the demand for natural rough diamonds worldwide is reflected in the decrease in the sale price. The impact of generational change on the consumption of "lab" diamond jewellery. This session aims to explore emerging trends, as well as key challenges and opportunities.</p> <p>MODERATOR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Luis Monteiro, Vice President, Rio Branco Diamantes <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Didier J. Rault, Founder, World Mining Investment (WMI) Hong Kong - Mmetla Masire, Managing Director, Okavango Diamond Company - Estanislau Buio, Executive Director, CNPK - Eng. Marçal Vigário, Director of Planning and Control, Catoca - Ammiel Macondéua, Director, Angola Polishing Diamonds (APD)
09:30 – 10:00	<p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>Advantages of estimating diamond content using data from Microdiamonds - Herman Grutter, Principal Geologist, SRK Consulting Canada Inc</p>
10:00 – 11:00	<p>SESSION 6 - (PANEL DISCUSSION) PARTNERSHIPS & INVESTMENTS IN MINERAL INFRASTRUCTURES</p> 



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	<p>OBJECTIVE: This session aims to highlight development partnerships and investment opportunities for innovation, including emerging trends in renewables for operating mines, as well as the synergy between mining and infrastructure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Strategic infrastructure development projects in Angola - Ports and Railways: Role of ports in the mining sector - Logistical Challenges in the Mining Industry <p>MODERATOR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Eugénio Clemente, Director, Gave Mineração <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Francisco Lima Aires, General Manager, Sonangalp - Francisco Franca, President Board of Directors and CEO, Lobito Atlantic Railway - Representante Sénior, MINEA - Representante Sénior, MINTRANS 	
11:00 – 11:30	NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK SPONSORED BY MAQTOOLS	
11:30 – 12:30	SESSION 7 - (PANEL DISCUSSION) ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND GOVERNANCE (ESG) CONSIDERATIONS	
	<p>OBJECTIVE: A panel discussion-style discussion to address ESG considerations, how and what diverse stakeholders are doing to implement sustainable ESG practices in their operations, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Framework for environmental management - Community engagement and stakeholder management - Implementation of EITI progress and updates in Angola - Assessment of the effectiveness of reforestation projects in mining areas in Catoca <p>MODERATOR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Henrique Kaniaki, Chief Coordinator, Online Expansion Newspaper <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tamika Halwiindi, Environmental Governance Officer, Transparency International Zambia - José Malanga, Executive Director, EITI, Angola - Ben Katz, Sector Lead for Mineral Supply Chains, OECD Centre for Responsible Business Conduct 	



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Eng. Silvio Alfredo, Head of Workplace Safety and Environmental Department, Catoca
12:30 – 13:30	<p>LUNCH BREAK SPONSORED BY HM GROUP</p> 
13:30 – 14:30	<p>SESSION 8 - (PANEL DISCUSSION) ATTRACTING INVESTMENT AND BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES)</p> <p>OBJECTIVE: With changing global dynamics and security of supply of various minerals now becoming a priority, companies active and operating in the Angolan mining sector are expected to offer as yet unconfirmed percentages of their shares to local and international investors. This session is designed to hear from selected national leaders to update on all plans and visions at the specific project and mine level to stimulate investment and partnerships in the sector:</p> <p>MODERATOR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stelvio Vaz Sidre, Diretor, SD Investimentos <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lucombo Francisco Pedro, Executive Administrator, Angolan National Agency for Mineral Resources (ANRM) - Henrique Kiaku Simao, Vice President, Tosyali Iron & Steel Angola - Rui Lopes, Deputy General Manager, Shining Star Icarus - Armindo Matos, Director Geral, Granisul - Stephen Wetherall, Director, Frontier Group, CRM
14:30 – 15:30	<p>SESSION 9 - (PANEL DISCUSSION) SUSTAINABLE FINANCE AND RAISING CAPITAL FOR MINING PROJECTS</p> <p>OBJECTIVE: Describe and highlight the financing options available to finance mining projects in Angola, and the challenges of raising funds at local, regional and global levels.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Guarantee investments for exploration projects - Availability of emerging Green Finance trends - Role of commercial and development banks - Bankable financing options for feasibility studies <p>MODERATOR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wilson Chimoco, Professor, Universidade Católica de Angola (UCA) <p>SPEAKERS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tiago Almeida, Senior Investment Officer, IFC - João Luis Ngimbi, Executive Director African Development Bank Group

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15:30 – 16:00	<p>OFFICIAL CLOSING CEREMONY – AMC 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduction to the Panelists by the Master of Ceremonies - Vote of thanks by the organiser of AMC 2023 - Reading of the final report conclusions and recommendations by the Head of the Scientific Committee/ President of the Organising Committee - Final remarks by: His Excellency Secretary of State for Mineral Resources*
16:30 – 17:30	DAY 2 – CLOSING COCKTAIL