Pilot project for the classification of Mexico’s mining projects based on the UNRMS-UNFC

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Built a new era of the mining industry in México

Sustainable Industry

- Change the paradigm of resource management in México (Mining).
- The requirements of sustainable development are primarily dependent on the optimal and responsible use of natural resources.
- Inclusive development of the industry.
- Long-term policies for resilience.
- Alignment to Sustainable Development Goals.
Mexico, a country with a mining history, still weighs amongst the world’s largest metal producers.

The country is the world’s first place in silver production and also recorded major production of copper, gold and zinc.

The mining-metallurgical sector in Mexico contributes 2.4 percent of the national Gross Domestic Product.

The country’s geological potential is still growing, attracting national and foreign companies.

As of January 2020, it generated 381 thousand direct jobs and generated more than 2.3 million indirect jobs.
Mining Pilot Test in México

Main activities and objectives

- Select candidate mining projects in México – 3 projects.
- Apply and test the UNRMS based on the UNFC.
- Mapping the Mining industry in México to the Sustainable Development Goals.
- Collaboration with another UN-agencies (UNDP, UN-Woman, UNIDO)

- Platform to make decisions in mining and/or regulatory policy.
- Multi-Stakeholder dialogue and collaboration (Governments, Companies, Financial Institutions, International Organizations).
- Set a base to share our experience in Latin America and the world through an International Center of Excellence.
Thank you!

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