



GOVERNMENT OF SIERRA LEONE
NATIONAL MINERALS AGENCY
(NMA)



Transforming Sierra Leone's Minerals Sector for a Better Sierra Leone

PRESS RELEASE

SIGNED COPIES OF MINING LEASE AGREEMENTS UPLOADED ON NMA WEBSITE

Freetown, 13th June 2014. The Ministry of Mines and Mineral Resources and the National Minerals Agency wish to inform the general public that in line with our commitment to promoting transparency in the minerals sector, signed copies of the Mining Lease Agreements between the Government of Sierra Leone and the following mining companies have been uploaded on the website of the National Minerals Agency, www.nma.gov.sl.

1. African Minerals Limited
2. London Mining Company Limited
3. Sierra Rutile Limited
4. Sierra Minerals Holding Limited
5. Koidu Holdings Limited

Members of the general public can now access signed copies of these agreements at the NMA website at no cost.

The Ministry of Mines and Mineral Resources and the National Minerals Agency also wish to assure the general public that, henceforth, all relevant stakeholders will be involved in the consultative process leading to the signing of new Mining Lease Agreements between the Government of Sierra Leone and mining companies, and all such agreements will be immediately uploaded on the NMA website for the information of the general public.

The general public is assured that we are committed to the development of the minerals sector, and to ensure that Sierra Leoneans derive maximum benefits from our mineral resources.

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