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WILSON ANNOUNCES CANADIAN PARTICIPATION AT EXPOMIN 92 IN CHILE

The Honourable Michael Wilson, Minister of Industry, Science and Technology and Minister for International Trade, has announced that a large delegation of Canadian mining equipment products and services companies will participate in the EXPOMIN 92 Mining Exhibition in Santiago, Chile, from May 12 to 16, 1992.

EXPOMIN, first held in 1983, is Chile's largest mining exhibition. As one of Latin America's premier industrial trade forums, EXPOMIN draws participants from around the world. Canada's contingent of 79 companies will be the largest foreign delegation to the event.

"I am very pleased to note the high level of interest shown by Canada's mining industry in Chile," Mr. Wilson said. "Chile is one of the most important international markets for our mining equipment and services companies, as well as the foremost destination for Canadian mining investment abroad.

"The opportunities for Canadian suppliers in Chile are substantial, particularly in the areas of mineral processing and environmental technologies, which are priorities for the Chilean government," he added.

Canadian exports of mining equipment to Chile exceeded \$20 million in 1991. Over \$2 billion has been invested by Canadian firms in Chilean mining properties since 1989, as well as in secondary processing facilities to expand value-added minerals production.

"The Government of President Patricio Aylwin is committed to maintaining Chile's free market economy," the Minister noted, "and Canadian commercial interests have been expanding their activities there in close co-operation with the Chilean private sector."

The Government of Canada signed an Economic Co-operation Agreement with Chile in 1991, and Canadian exports are being supported by Export Development Corporation (EDC) financing to both public and private sector clients.

The Canadian delegation to EXPOMIN will occupy two pavilions at the Santiago International Trade Fair Complex. Canadian technical presentations are also prominently featured in a concurrent symposium, providing a forum for showcasing advances in Canadian mining technology to local and regional sectoral experts.

For more details on EXPOMIN 92 or other mining promotional events in Chile and other Latin American markets, contact the External Affairs and International Trade Canada (EAITC) Latin America and Caribbean Trade Division.

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CANADIAN PARTICIPANTS -- EXPOMIN 92, SANTIAGO, CHILE

Aerodat Limited
Mississauga, Ontario

Aerotech International Inc.
Winnipeg, Manitoba

Amelunxen Technologies Inc.
Delta, B.C.

ArcBro International Inc.
Mississauga, Ontario

BLM Mincon Inc.
Lively, Ontario

Boart Canada Inc.
Mississauga, Ontario

Bondar Clegg & Co. Ltd.
Ottawa, Ontario

BPT Components and Parts Inc.
Sudbury, Ontario

Bradley W.M. Manufacture
Rouyn-Noranda, Quebec

Brake and Friction
Division of Wespac Dynamics Inc.
Richmond, B.C.

Brenda Process Technology
Kelowna, B.C.

Bull Industry Supply
Sudbury, Ontario

CAMESE
Willowdale (Toronto), Ontario

Canun International
Sudbury, Ontario

Champion Road Machinery Limited
Goderich, Ontario

Cominco Engineering Services Ltd.
Vancouver, B.C.

Continuous Mining Systems Limited
Sudbury, Ontario

Crone Geophysics and Exploration Ltd.
Mississauga, Ontario

D'Angelo International
Vancouver (Delta), B.C.

Dighem Surveys and Processing Inc.
Toronto, Ontario

Doz Consulting Group Inc.
Rouyn-Noranda, Quebec

Dresser Canada Inc.
Brantford, Ontario

Drillex Int'l. of Canada Inc.
Sudbury, Ontario

Earl's Industries Ltd.
Vancouver, B.C.

Eimco Jarvis Clark Company Ltd.
Burlington, Ontario

El-Equip Inc.
Sudbury, Ontario

Engine Control Systems Ltd.
Newmarket, Ontario

Federal Pioneer Limited
Toronto, Ontario

Fordia Limited
Ville St-Laurent, Quebec

Gemcom Services Inc.
Vancouver, B.C.

General Electric Canada Inc.
Lachine, Quebec

Geostat Systems International Inc.
Montreal, Quebec

Golder Associates
Mississauga, Ontario

- Groupe Laperriere & Verreault Ont. Inc.
Orillia, Ontario
- Heath and Sherwood (1964) Ltd.
Kirkland Lake, Ontario
- Hobic Oil Bit Industries Corp
Richmond, B.C.
- Innovat Limited
Oakville, Ontario
- John T. Hepburn Limited
Mississauga, Ontario
- Joy Technologies Canada Inc.
Kitchener, Ontario
- Kilborn Engineering and Construction
Limited
Toronto, Ontario
- Knelson Gold Concentrators Inc.
Langley, B.C.
- Kubota Metal Corporation
Orillia, Ontario
- Manley Steels Limited
Concord, Ontario
- Maxter Industries Limited
Montreal, Quebec
- Met-Chem Canada Inc.
Montreal, Quebec
- Milltronics
Peterborough, Ontario
- Mining Resource Engineering Limited
Kingston, Ontario
- Minnovex Technologies Inc.
Etobicoke, Ontario
- MPH Consulting Limited
Toronto, Ontario
- Mrel Specialty Explosive Products Ltd.
Kingston, Ontario
- National Compressed Air Canada Ltd.
Mississauga, Ontario
- Nautilus Int'l. Control & Eng. Ltd.
Burnaby, B.C.
- NL Technologies
Scarborough, Ontario
- Norev Canada Inc.
Copper Cliff, Ontario
- Novenco Fans Inc.
Cambridge, Ontario
- O.E.M. Mfg. Services Ltd.
Nisku, Alberta
- Pacific Geophysical Limited
Vancouver, B.C.
- Patton and Cooke Limited
Surrey, B.C.
- Piteau Associates Engineering Ltd.
North Vancouver, B.C.
- Plastival Inc.
Laval, Quebec
- Quantech Consulting Inc.
Mississauga, Ontario
- Queen's University
Kingston, Ontario
- Rescan Environmental Services Ltd.
Vancouver, B.C.
- Rimex Supply Limited
Surrey, B.C.
- Sadinc Ltee/Sadinc K and D Inc.
St. Bruno, Quebec
- Saxum Canada Inc.
Brampton, Ontario
- Scandinavian Grinding Mill Systems Inc.
Mississauga, Ontario

Scintrex Limited
Concord, Ontario

Shaw-Almex Industries Ltd.
Parry Sound, Ontario

Spir-L-Ok Industries Canada Ltd.
Langley, B.C.

Team Manufacturing Limited
Langley, B.C.

Teledyne Canada Mining Products
Thornbury, Ontario

The Redpath Group
North Bay, Ontario

Thiessen Equipment Ltd.
Langley, B.C.

Urquhart Dvorak Limited (UDL)
Toronto, Ontario

Vibrant Power Inc.
Mississauga, Ontario

Weatherhaven Resources Ltd.
Vancouver, B.C.

Wenco International
Richmond, B.C.

World Geoscience Inc.
Questor Surveys Limited
Brantford, Ontario