

Events and Highlights

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Buedu and Koindu connect to Sierra Leone's growing Solar Mini Grid

Buedu and Koindu connect to Sierra Leone's growing Solar Mini Grid installations across the nation. The expansion of the facilities to accommodate neighbouring towns and villages is under consideration.



Ministers get E-Cabinet training

Cabinet Ministers complete one-day training session in E-Cabinet, held at the Brookfields hotel on May 18th. The training aims to enhance the capacity of Ministers to effectively conduct government programs and policies through electronic means

Judiciary Cyber Crime Conference...

In his statement on the opening of the Judicial Training on Cybercrime and Electronic Evidence at the Radisson Blu Mammy Yoko Hotel on Tuesday 24th May, 2022 in Aberdeen, Freetown, Vice President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, Dr. Mohamed Juldeh spoke as a Neo-Institutionalist scholar and outlined the opportunities and nemesis of the digital revolution.



Investor Highlights

- Marampa Mines expanded
- Kingho Mining Development fund established
- New Lungi Airport Terminal on course
- Adhav steel factory starts full operation
- LV LUAN wood furniture company Songo in full operation

President Julius Maada Bio Unveils Le. 5.3 Billion Community Development Agreement Fund

His Excellency, President, Dr Julius Maada Bio has unveiled a cash amount of Le 5.3 billion, paid into the accounts of the Community Development Agreement (CDA), Fund by Kingho Mining Company, a subsidiary of Leone Rock Metals, saying that it is a bold step to support the development of mining communities. The event was held at the Mining Company's Ferengbeya Mining Site, Tonkolili District onTuesday 24th May 2022 Chiefdom, PC Alimamy Bockarie Yalan Koroma III, said the amount was the highest any company had paid since the discovery of iron ore in Tonkolili in 2010. "Your Excellency, this is the first time such an amount is ever paid to the community. We want to thank you for providing such caring leadership".

President Bio opens New Magbele Bridge



His Excellency President, Julius Maada Bio, commissioned the 48 million Euros (Le 634 billion) Magbele Bridge in the Rogbere Community, Port Loko District, on Saturday 14th May 2022, saying that the 163-meter-long modern two-lane bridge, now provides a safer corridor for trade and commerce. He officially renamed the new bridge, Pa Adikali Modu III Bridge.

"I am very pleased to be here to formally launch this Community Development Agreement payment to local community stakeholders. It aligns with my vision of formalising and regularising how mining communities can substantially benefit from mining activities in their areas" he said.

President Bio also emphasised that he believed stakeholders and decision-makers could do better for mining communities, adding that increasing community development agreement payments from 0.01% of annual revenue in the previous operation year to 1% during mining operations was in the best interests of mining communities.

Chief Executive Officer of the Kingho Mining Company, Gilbert Zhao, said it was a great honour to work with the people of Tonkolili who were now getting what they truly deserved, adding that the company would continue to look into the concerns of the people for a greater working relationship.

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