

Zhou Yuxiao, Chinese Ambassador to Zambia Paying a Visit to CLM



(Luo Xingeng, Executive Director of CNMCL and CEO of CLM introducing Ambassador Zhou Yuxiao to the leaching copper production process --- first left on front row: standing Mr. Luo Xingeng, sitting by the computer Ambassador Zhou Yuxiao)

On the afternoon of December 22, 2012 , Chinese Ambassador to Zambia Zhou Yuxiao and his wife and some Embassy staff members arrived at CNMC Luanshya Copper Mines Plc. (CLM), a CNMCL enterprise in Zambia, for a two-day visit.

Ambassador Zhou mainly inspected the production

process of Muliashi open-pit mine and the leaching smelting plant, listened to the detailed work report of CLM, and visited its forefront of production and living quarters to see the company's production status and its employees' living conditions.

Ambassador Zhou said that the newly-elected party Secretary General Xi Jinping has pointed out "the harm of meaningless talk to the country and the importance of hard work for state prosperity." Chinese enterprises in Africa are the brave implementers of the idea of "China-Africa Cooperation for Common Development." By organizing its staff members to visit CLM, the embassy would like them to learn from CLM its hardworking and innovative spirit and use the same spirit in their daily diplomatic work so as to push China-Zambia reciprocal cooperation to higher heights.

Ambassador Zhou said that he has been deeply moved by what he saw during the visit. The development of CLM is so rapid that the company looks different every single day, which fully demonstrates its great strength and power. At CLM, he not only learnt "how to produce pure copper," but also got to know the company's energetic

management system and operation concepts, seen especially in the sound management of the mining area. The company has complete infrastructure facilities and good dormitories and living facilities for its employees. Satisfied by rich spare-time activities, the employees have greater energy in doing their work. In the end, Ambassador Zhou said that the new year of 2013 is just around the corner and he, on behalf of the motherland government, would like to extend cordial greetings to the employees of CLM and thank the company for its engagement in China-Zambia reciprocal cooperation and its active contribution to the development of the traditional friendship between China and Zambia. He hopes that the company continues striving for greater achievements.

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