

Richard Musukua, vice minister of Zambian Ministry of Mining, Energy Sources, and Water Resources Development and Utilization, paying an investigative visit to SMLZ

On August 30, 2012, upon the entrustment by president Michael Sata, Richard Musukua, vice minister of Zambian Ministry of Mining, Energy Sources, and Water Resources Development and Utilization paid an investigative visit to Sino-Metals Leach Zambia Limited (SMLZ). Accompanying Musukua during the visit were several other Zambian officials, including Lumanba, director of Zambian Administration of Mine Safety, Howard Simupymuba, mayor of Kaluluxi City, and Joys Ensymuba, administrative head of Kaluluxi City.

Vice minister Musukua carefully listened to SMLZ's report on its general production and operation conditions and the construction progress of the Muwangbaxi Mine Project. He also visited SMLZ's extraction

electrodeposition workshop, ore dressing workshop, and tailing stirring and leaching workshop. Vice minister Musukua highly praised and fully affirmed the vigorous development of SMLZ in production and operation in recent years. On behalf of Zambian Government, he thanked SMLZ for its active fulfillment of its social responsibilities in Zambia. He hopes that SMLZ can keep on making contribution to local causes of the public good such as education and health services. He reiterates that Zambian Government is responsible for protecting major investors in Zambia and enabling them to do their business operations in Zambia at ease. This is also for securing prosperity for Zambian people as soon as possible.

The visit by vice minister Musukua indicates that Zambian Mining Ministry lays great stress on and gives great support to SMLZ's sustainable development. It is also a firm confirmation of SMLZ's status in the industry.



A group photo of vice minister Musukua and his party and leaders of SMLZ



Vice minister Musukua and his party visiting the ore dressing workshop



Vice minister Musukua and his party visiting the extraction
electrodeposition workshop



Vice minister Musukua and his party visiting the tailing stirring and leaching
workshop