## Global Mining Update



Welcome to the latest edition of the Mayer Brown Mining Update which focuses on some of the key legal issues and developments that have been affecting the Mining sector over recent months.

Cameroon - Opportunities and Stakes in the mining sector: London partner Rachel Speight, Paris partner Matthieu de Varax and senior associate Alban Dorin look at mining opportunities in Cameroon.

The business of development: London partner Rachel Speight and foreign qualified lawyer Shaeron Yapp give an overview of development finance and opportunities for commercial lenders.

Mining in Kenya - the start of a new era? London associate Avanthi Gunatilake provides a brief overview of the legal and regulatory framework applicable to the mining industry in Kenya and sets out some practical considerations investors should bear in mind when mining in Kenya.

Mining Industry in Brazil: In this 2012 Year in Review, Rio de Janeiro partners Francisco Rohan, Guilherme Vieira and associate Carlos Hartveld summarize some of the mining industry's most noteworthy developments, with a particular focus on the legal environment, the current economic climate, the major M&A transactions and the potential opportunities and challenges for 2013.

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