

Date: August 12-14, 2018

Title: Energy and Mines Ministers' Conference (EMMC) 2018, Iqaluit, Nunavut

Department: Economic Development and Transportation

Mines Minister, David Akeeagok

- Economic Development and Transportation was represented by:
 - Udloriak Hanson, Deputy Minister
 - Bernie MacIsaac, Assistant Deputy Minister
 - David Kunuk, Director, Minerals
 - Paul Budkewitsch, Manager, Minerals
 - Annie Cyr-Parent, Senior Advisor, Petroleum
 - Erika Zell, A/Manager, Environmental Assessments and Regulations

Energy Minister, Jeanie Ehaloak

- Department of Environment was represented by:
 - Pauloosie Suvega, Deputy Minister
 - Steve Pinksen, Assistant Deputy Minister
 - Nicole Campaugh, Executive Assistant
 - Andreane Lussier, Manager, Climate Change Mitigation

Background

The 2018 Energy and Mines Ministers' Conference (EMMC) was co-chaired by the Honourable Minister of Natural Resources Canada (NRCan) Amarjeet Sohi, and Nunavut Ministers Honourable David Akeeagok, Minister responsible for Mines, and Honorable Jeanie Ehaloak, Minister responsible for Energy. The theme for the 2018 EMMC was "*Connecting Communities to Resources.*"

1. Closed Discussion – Ministers and Indigenous Leaders

Ministers and Indigenous leaders discussed ways to strengthen partnerships on natural resource issues: The participants discussed successful partnerships and different roles of indigenous organizations in their jurisdiction, emphasized is put on the importance of including Indigenous peoples in discussions about natural resource development.

2. Open sessions

Supporting Clean, Reliable and Affordable Energy in Northern, Remote and Isolated Communities

The Minister from the Northwest Territories, Wally Schumann, presented key findings to all delegates from a workshop on the energy future in the North, held on June 28, in Yellowknife, followed by a panel discussion by Bruno Pereira, President of Qulliq Energy Corporation, and Carolyn Chisholm, Principle Advisor to the Vice President of Rio Tinto Canada. The workshop provided an opportunity to explore the unique challenges and opportunities in Northern, remote and isolated communities.

Innovation and the Mines of Tomorrow

Nathalie Camden, Assistant Deputy Minister for Mines, Department of Energy and Natural Resources, Quebec, provided opening remarks to all delegates, followed by a presentation by Francis Fournier, CEO of COREM, and a panel discussion by Angela Hamlyn, Executive Director, Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum, Ryan Montpelier, Mining Industry Human Resources Council, and Christian Soucy, Superintendent, Nunavut Energy Optimization, Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.

- Issues that need to be addressed include: innovation to reduce the consumption of energy and water in the mining sector, better use of data collected, replacement of diesel, and the electrification of mines.

Northern Women and Youth in Natural Resource Development

Panel discussion with Jennifer Flanagan, President and CEO of Actua, Shelia Kolola, President of Nunavut Arctic College, and Olivia Tagalik, Human Resources Agent at the Meadowbank Division of Agnico Eagle Mines to all delegates, followed by a question and answer session:

- Science literacy is important to distill negative stereotypes and attract youth to working in natural resource sectors.
- Ensuring there is support for women working in the resource sector through, for example, equitable pay, flexible hours, and daycare facilities, throughout their career is important.

Developing Infrastructure to Unlock Resource Development Potential

Panel discussion with Wally Schumann, the Minister from the Northwest Territories, Tom Hoefler, Executive Director, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Chamber of Mines, Charlie Lyall, Vice-President of economic development, Kitikmeot Inuit Association, and Tom Garrett, Chadwick Consulting Ltd., on

behalf of Kivalliq Inuit Association, and moderated by Dr. Kent Fellows, Research Associate at the School of Public Policy at the University of Calgary.

- The Canadian Northern Corridor research program investigates the potential for a multimodal right of way crossing mid-Canada and Canada's North. It would extend the current southern backbone of Canada's transportation network further north, facilitating private and public investment in infrastructure necessary for the development of Canada's economy.
- Improving infrastructure in the North and reducing related transportation costs could increase the combined GDP of the territories by 50%.

Partnering with Indigenous Peoples: Northern Science and Traditional and Indigenous Knowledge & Challenges and Opportunities of Resource Development for Communities

Presentations to all delegates provided by Geoff Smith, Vice President, Government Relations and Indigenous Affairs, Mining Association of Canada, Charlie Lyle, Vice President, Kitikmeot Inuit Association, Olayuk Akesuk, Vice President, Qikiqtani Inuit Association, and Dr. Michael Ross, NSERC Industrial Research Chair in Northern Energy Innovation.

- Traditional knowledge goes beyond scientific or academic knowledge; it is reflective of a way of life and of familiarity with the land, water, wildlife, environment and geography, and provides a greater understanding of the rapidly changing world.
- Applying traditional knowledge and Inuit values, along with community input goes a long way to providing the necessary social license to undertake resource projects, and links to the broader reconciliation agenda.

3. Closed discussion- Ministers and Indigenous Leaders: Reflection on Plenary Discussions

National and Indigenous organizations reflected on topics discussed during the Conference: Indigenous groups highlighted that it is important to find the right balance between growing the economy and responsibilities to Indigenous peoples as stewards of the land.

4. Joint Closed Energy and Mines Ministers' Session – Bill C-69

The Minister of Natural Resources Canada, Amarjeet Sohi, provided an update on Bill C-69 to provincial and territorial Ministers, followed by a discussion amongst jurisdictions.

- The Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency is leading a review of the submissions received from an initial round of consultations held in June 2018. In fall 2018, further consultations will be launched to provide details on the new regime, and draft regulations will be released.

5. Closed Energy Ministers' Session

The Minister of Natural Resources Canada, Amarjeet Sohi, provided an overview of 15 Energy Steering Group deliverables, to seek endorsement from provincial and territorial Ministers, and propose areas for future collaboration. The CEO of the Eurasia Group, Robert Johnston, provided a presentation on the competitiveness of the energy sector in the transition to a low-carbon economy, followed by a discussion amongst Ministers.

- Ministers endorsed the fifteen deliverables from the Energy Steering Group.
- Continued collaboration was proposed in the following areas: improving the competitiveness of Canada's energy sector, including in the oil and gas sector; energy efficiency, electricity, and innovation; data and information; market diversification, including strengthening bilateral and multi-lateral trade relationships and improving access to global markets.

6. Closed Mines Ministers' Session

Natural Resources Canada provided an overview of the three Mines Intergovernmental Working Group deliverables and seeks their endorsement from provincial and territorial Ministers. Ministers discussed the Canadian Minerals and Metals Plan (CMMP):

- Ministers endorsed the three deliverables from the Mines Intergovernmental Working Group and three documents related to the federal-provincial-territorial Canadian Minerals and Metals Plan (CMMP).

Related FPT Activity:

FPT meetings in which EDT is involved:

1. FPT Committee Energy Steering Group (Bernie MacIsaac; emails and phone calls monthly)
2. FPT Committee, Mining Steering Group (Paul Budkewitsch; emails and phone calls monthly)
3. FPT Committee, Oil and Gas Working Group (Annie Cyr-Parent; emails and phone calls monthly)
4. FPT Committee Women in Natural Resources WG (Annie Cyr-Parent; emails and phone calls monthly)

Related FPT in which the Department of Environment is involved:

1. FPT Committee Energy Steering Group (Steve Pinksen; emails and phone calls monthly)
2. FPT Committee Energy Technology Working Group; Andreane Lussier; emails and phone calls monthly)
3. FPT Committee, Electricity Working Group (Andreane Lussier; emails and phone calls monthly)
4. FPT Committee, Energy Efficiency Working Group (Andreane Lussier; emails and phone calls monthly)
5. FPT Committee, International Energy Collaboration (Andreane Lussier; emails and phone calls monthly)

Next Steps:

Ministers accepted an invitation to EMMC 2019 which will take place July 15-17 in Cranbrook, British Columbia.

Attachments: **Agenda**
 Press Release

NEWS RELEASES – Energy and Mines Ministers Agree that Improving Competitiveness and Environmental Sustainability are Key to Future Development of Natural Resources

August 14, 2018 — Iqaluit, Nunavut

Marking the conclusion of the annual three-day Energy and Mines Ministers' Conference (EMMC), hosted by Nunavut, Canada's energy and mines ministers agreed today to act to increase the country's competitiveness in these respective sectors by eliminating barriers to investment, promoting market diversification, and improving the efficiency and timeliness of regulatory processes. To that end, the Government of Canada will continue to work with provinces and territories, as well as partners to ensure an effective regulatory review process that enhances economic competitiveness and maintains a sustainable environment.

Already accounting for 17 percent of Canada's GDP, 47 percent of Canada's merchandise exports and providing over 1.8 million jobs in 2017, our natural resources sector is well-positioned to drive even more prosperity in the future. By developing innovative technologies, Canada's resource sector can continue to lead the way to a clean economy and enhance the country's competitive edge. The excellence of Canadian industry, as well as Canada's contributions to sustainable prosperity, demonstrates that environmental protection and economic growth can go hand in hand.

Gathered under the theme of *Connecting Communities to Resources*, Indigenous leaders and industry associations joined ministers to discuss key issues, including: the role of energy and mining in growing our economy; the vital importance of competitiveness and certainty for our sustainably developed natural resources; the need for critical infrastructure to develop Canada's natural resources, particularly in the North, and its long-term economic future; as well as fostering partnerships and inclusion of Indigenous peoples in the natural resources economy. Participants were also provided with an overview of Canada's energy and mining sectors, as well as preliminary proposals under consideration by the Resources of the Future Economic Strategy Table.

Ministers committed to explore additional opportunities for federal, provincial and territorial collaboration to advance our trade objectives, open up new markets for our natural resources, and leverage Canada's technology and innovation, including on the

international stage. To the world, the made-in-Canada "brand" represents sustainable development, further enhancing our competitive advantage.

Ministers discussed progress made on specific initiatives under the Canadian Energy Strategy, released by the Council of the Federation, as well as under the Pan-Canadian Framework on Clean Growth and Climate Change. While respecting the roles and responsibilities of each government, collaboration has focussed on energy efficiency projects such as enhanced and harmonized standards for appliances and equipment, adoption of net-zero energy ready building codes, and increased transparency of energy use by way of labelling for buildings, housing and industry. It also supports projects to improve electricity infrastructure across Canada by modernizing the grid, reducing reliance on diesel for power generation in northern, remote and isolated communities, and developing and adopting innovative technologies. Ministers were also presented with a vision for a prosperous and environmentally sustainable energy future, by representatives of the Generation Energy Council.

Ministers highlighted the importance of existing federal, provincial and territorial cooperation across the energy and mining sectors. This includes initiatives to advance Indigenous partnerships, innovation, integrity and public confidence, infrastructure development, inclusive growth and international cooperation. Through panel discussions with Indigenous leaders, women in the natural resources sector, and other experts, Ministers emphasized the need to consider the range of perspectives from Canadians on the development and operation of natural resources.

Additionally, Ministers discussed a vision and narrative to guide the development of the Canadian Minerals and Metals Plan (CMMP) – targeted for release in early 2019 and informed by extensive engagement and analysis. While respecting the roles and responsibilities of each government as well as their priorities, the Plan is intended to foster a competitive and sustainable minerals and metals industry that capitalizes on the realities of today's economy and its future, recognize regional strengths, enhance Indigenous participation, and position Canada as the leading mining nation.

Building on EMMC 2017, Ministers discussed the importance of diversifying Canada's energy and mining markets and the current challenges of the Canada–U.S. trade relationship, including the critical link among trade, jobs and economic growth. They also committed to continue to further explore opportunities for provinces and territories to collaborate in international discussions and work regarding energy and mines.

Ministers expressed their thanks to the Honourable Minister David Akeeagok, the Honourable Minister Jeannie Hakongak Ehaloak and the people of Nunavut for the warm welcome and successful 2018 conference.

Connecting communities to resources builds on Canada's competitive advantage and environmental sustainability, which will remain a focus of Canada's energy and mines ministers as they work toward the 2019 EMMC in British Columbia.

Quotes:

"In a world increasingly looking for sustainably produced products, whether from minerals and metals or energy, Canada is unmatched. As global demand for sustainably developed resources grows, Canada must continue to capitalize on its natural advantage to ensure our competitiveness in global markets."

Amarjeet Sohi
Canada's Minister of Natural Resources

"Nunavut is rich in renewable and non-renewable resources, but our Arctic ecosystems are vulnerable to climate change. Governments at all levels must engage in the responsible management of resources to ensure our land is safe for generations to come. People in northern, remote and isolated communities across Canada will benefit from the socio-economic outcomes of responsible, sustainable resource development."

David Akeeagok
Government of Nunavut Minister of Economic Development and Transportation

"The strong leadership demonstrated by the participants of the conference encourages fulfilling the commitments made in the Pan-Canadian Framework on Clean Growth and Climate Change. Fostering coordinated, national efforts to address northern, remote and isolated community infrastructure challenges across Canada and Nunavut will ensure successful outcomes."

Jeannie Ehaloak
Government of Nunavut Minister of Environment and Qulliq Energy Corporation

Agreement was reached by all delegations with the exception of the Governments of Ontario and Saskatchewan.

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Saturday August 11th Pre-Conference activities

For information on pre-EMMC tours, please visit www.emmc2018.ca

Sunday August 12th – Pre-Conference activities

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<p>16:30 – 17:30</p> <p>Room: Koojesse South</p> <p>Seating: hollow square</p>	<p>Private Discussion - Ministers and Indigenous Leaders</p>	<p>Minister Sohi (NRCan), Minister Akeeagok, and Minister Ehaloak (TBC) to co-chair a discussion with Assembly of First Nations, Native Women’s Association of Canada, Congress of Aboriginal Peoples, Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated, Kitikmeot Inuit Association, Kivalliq Inuit Association, Qikiqtani Inuit Association, and Pauktutit Inuit Women of Canada.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agenda to be co-developed with Indigenous leaders • Discussions on the Canadian Minerals and Metals Plan’s pillar on Advancing the Participation of Indigenous Peoples may be included in this session. <p><i>Provincial/territorial Ministers are invited to attend</i></p>	
<p>18:00 – 18:45</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Welcome Session</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elder’s prayer • Welcome address by Madeline Redfern, Mayor of Iqaluit • Presentation by Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated (James Eetoolook), on governance and the Nunavut Agreement 	
<p>18:45 – 19:00</p>	<p>Transition break Ministers and Deputy Ministers depart by bus for Black Heart Café at 7 p.m.</p>		
<p>19:15 – 21:30</p> <p>Off-site Black Heart Café</p>	<p>Private Dinner with Speaker – Ministers and DMs</p>	<p>Private dinner for Ministers and Deputy Ministers (dinner served at approximately 7:30 p.m.) Keynote Speaker on Connecting Communities to Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Premier Joe Savikataaq 	<p>Reception - Other delegates Room: Koojesse North</p> <p><i>Light refreshments to be served</i></p>

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Monday, August 13th – Conference – Open Sessions		
<p>7:00 – 8:30 Room: Koojesse North Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Breakfast - Generation Energy Council Presentation</p>	<p>7:00-7:30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breakfast to be served buffet style <p>7:30-8:30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Video presentation: Brief video on Generation Energy. Presentation: Generation Energy Council <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Linda Coady (Generation Energy co-chair) will provide an overview of the Generation Energy Council report and the Council's process. Richard Nerysoo (Generation Energy member) will discuss Indigenous engagement and considerations. Moderated Qs & As: Mr. Jacob Irving, President of Energy Council of Canada, will moderate a question and answer session between Conference participants and Council members.
<p>8:30 – 9:00 Room: Koojesse North Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Co-Chairs' official welcome</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Qulliq lighting: Ceremonial lighting of the Qulliq, a traditional oil lamp used by Inuit. Opening remarks from Minister Sohi, Minister Akeegok, and Minister Ehaloak Minister Sohi's opening remarks to include a brief video
<p>9:00 – 9:50 Room: Koojesse North Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Canada's Competitiveness</p>	<p>Introduction of Presenter: Minister Sohi</p> <p>Presentation on the challenges facing Canada's competitiveness in the energy and mining sectors, and potential solutions under consideration by the Resources of the Future Economic Strategy Table:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lorraine Mitchelmore, Chair, Resources of the Future Economic Strategy Table <p>Moderated Qs and As: Bernie Maclsaac (Nunavut) to moderate</p>
<p>9:50 – 10:00 Room: Koojesse North Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Major Projects Inventory Report</p>	<p>Minister Sohi will table and note the public release of the Major Projects Inventory Report.</p>
<p>10:00 – 10:15</p>	<p>Health Break</p>	

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<p>10:15 – 11:15</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Supporting Clean, Reliable & Affordable Energy in Northern, Remote, and Isolated Communities</p>	<p>Lead: NRCan; Support: NWT</p> <p>Presentation - Key Findings from Northern Energy Transition Workshop: NWT Minister Schumann will discuss key findings from the Energy Steering Group’s June 28th workshop.</p> <p>Panel Discussion moderated by Richard Nerysoo, Member of Generation Energy Council. Each panellist will provide brief opening remarks, followed by an interactive question and answer session with the audience. Proposed speaker options include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bruno Pereira, President, Qulliq Energy Corporation • Carolyn Chisholm, Diavik Mines Wind Project: Renewable Energy in the North • Grant Sullivan, Gwich’in Tribal Council International: Indigenous Partnerships in Community Energy Projects (TBC) <p>The discussion will be focused around three questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>How can communities, governments, and utilities work together to support the low-carbon energy transition in the North?</i> • <i>What are the major challenges to building capacity and deploying technology solutions in the North?</i> • <i>How can we ensure that northern communities benefit from the energy transition?</i>
<p>11:15 – 12:00</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Innovation and the Mines of Tomorrow</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lead: Quebec; Support: NRCan <p>Opening Remarks: Nathalie Camden will provide opening remarks.</p> <p>Presentation on innovation in the mining sector</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Francis Fournier, CEO of COREM (the largest organization in Canada devoted to mineral processing R&D) <p>Panel Discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angela Hamlyn, Executive Director, Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum • Ryan Montpelier, Mining Industry Human Resources Council • Christian Soucy, Superintendent, Nunavut Energy Optimization, Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd. <p>Angela Hamlyn will moderate a question-and-answer session</p>
<p>12:00 – 13:15</p>	<p>Lunch panel discussion:</p>	<p>After lunch is served, a panel discussion will take place on:</p>

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<p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Making Connections: Northern Women and Youth in Natural Resource Development</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women in Natural Resources: Highlight real-life Northern examples where women have played a significant and/or increasing role in resource development • Youth: Presentation on challenges/experiences in natural resources sector training and development <p>Opening Remarks: Minister Ehaloak</p> <p>Panel Discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Olivia Tagalik, Human Resources Agent, Meadowbank Division, Agnico Eagle Mines • Karsten Henriksen, Vice President, Nunavut Arctic College • Jennifer Flanagan, President and CEO, Actua <p>Following a question-and-answer session, the following topic will be addressed briefly:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome from 2019 EMMC Host, British Columbia (5 min)
<p>13:15 – 14:15</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Developing infrastructure to unlock resource development potential</p>	<p>Lead: NWT; Support: Nunavut</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlight the challenges and benefits of northern infrastructure corridors (transportation, energy and communications), and the strategic vision of connecting Canada from East to West to North. • Use examples from the North to showcase how strategic infrastructure is required to stimulate economic opportunities for northern businesses and residents by increasing access to existing resources and increasing opportunities for exploration and future development. <p>Opening Remarks: Minister Sohi will provide opening remarks</p> <p>Panel Discussion moderated by Dr. G. Kent Fellows, Research Associate at The School of Public Policy, University of Calgary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NWT Minister Wally Schumann • Mr. Tom Hoefer, Executive Director, NWT and Nunavut Chamber of Mines • Mr. Charlie Lyall, Kitikmeot Inuit Association • TBC, Kivalliq Inuit Association <p>Concluding remarks: Minister Akeeagok</p>

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<p>14:15 – 15:15</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Partnering with Indigenous peoples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Northern Science and Traditional Indigenous Knowledge Challenges and Opportunities of Resource Development for Communities 	<p>Lead: Nunavut; Support: Yukon</p> <p>Opening Remarks: Minister Akeeagok</p> <p>Presentations to provide real-life examples of how traditional Indigenous knowledge has been incorporated in the planning of resource development projects in Nunavut, and on the benefits of resource development to communities and capacity building:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Olayuk Akesuk, Vice President, Qikiqtani Inuit Association Stanley Anablak (TBC), President, Kitikmeot Inuit Association Geoff Smith, Mining Association of Canada <p>Question-and-answer session</p> <p>Concluding remarks: Minister Akeeagok</p>
<p>15:15 – 15:25</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Closing Remarks – Conference Plenary Sessions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief remarks from Minister Sohi, Minister Akeeagok and Minister Ehloak to close the day’s plenary sessions
<p>15:25 – 15:35</p>	<p>Health Break</p>	<p>End of day and flex time for other delegates</p>
<p>15:35 – 16:15</p> <p>Room: Koojesse South</p> <p>Seating: hollow square</p>	<p>Ministers and Indigenous Leaders: Reflection on plenary discussions</p>	<p>Ministers and Indigenous leaders from the Assembly of First Nations, Métis National Council and Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami, Native Women’s Association of Canada, Congress of Aboriginal Peoples, Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated, Kitikmeot Inuit Association, Kivalliq Inuit Association, Qikiqtani Inuit Association, and Pauktuutit Inuit Women of Canada reflect on plenary discussions.</p> <p>Opening remarks: Minister Sohi</p> <p>Discussion moderated by Minister Sohi (Official photo to be taken at the end of the session)</p>
<p>16:15 – 16:30</p>	<p>Transition Break (change in participants)</p>	

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<p>16:30 – 17:30</p> <p>Room: Koojesse South</p> <p>Seating: hollow square</p>	<p>Joint Closed Energy and Mines Ministers' Session on Trade and Tariffs and International Engagement</p>	<p>Opening remarks: Minister Sohi</p> <p>Presentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kevin Thompson, Director General, North America Strategy, Global Affairs Canada, will present a diagnostic of key issues in the Canada-U.S. trade relationship, including NAFTA and steel and aluminum tariffs, and outline next steps. <p>Moderated Qs and As:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minister Sohi to moderate discussion with provincial and territorial Ministers on the challenges that the current situation poses to regional economies and exports. <p>Discussion on International Engagement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minister Sohi to provide an update on the G20 and the G7; a readout from the Clean Energy Ministerial / Mission Innovation Ministerial (May 2018), an update on the Equal by 30 campaign, and an overview of Recommendations from the Women in Natural Resources (federal/provincial/ territorial) task team. <p>Closing remarks: Minister Sohi</p>
<p>17:30 – 18:00</p>	<p>Flex time</p>	
<p>18:00 – 21:00</p> <p>Room: Koojesse North</p> <p>Seating: round tables</p>	<p>Banquet Dinner</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Silent auction and dinner Minister Sohi's Keynote Speech at 19:30

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Tuesday, August 14th – Federal, Provincial and Territorial Ministers’ Meeting -- Closed Sessions			
<p>7:00 – 8:00</p> <p>Room: Koojesse South</p> <p>Seating: hollow square</p>	<p>Joint Closed Energy and Mines Ministers’ Session – Breakfast</p>	<p>Opening remarks: Minister Sohi</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on status of proposed federal legislation, Bill C-69 <p>Discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Next steps to implement the legislation and associated regulations will be discussed 	<p><i>Breakfast for other delegates</i></p>
<p>8:00 – 8:15</p>	<p>Official photo</p>		
<p>8:15 – 8:20</p>	<p>Transition Break (change in participants)</p>		
<p>8:20 – 9:35</p> <p>Room: Koojesse South</p> <p>Seating: hollow square</p>	<p>Closed Energy Ministers’ Session</p>	<p>Video: “Energy Collaboration in Action”</p> <p>Opening Remarks: Minister Ehloak will provide welcoming remarks and review of agenda.</p> <p>Energy Collaboration Report: Ministers to discuss future areas of collaboration.</p> <p>Presentation: Energy sector competitiveness in the low-carbon transition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robert Johnston, Director Eurasia Group, will provide a presentation, focussed on building common ground and positive momentum towards a discussion of shared priorities. <p>Roundtable Discussion on Competitiveness in the Low-Carbon Transition</p> <p>Endorsement of the Energy Collaboration Report and ESG deliverables: Ministers to endorse Energy Steering Group Deliverables, and agree to future areas of collaboration.</p> <p>Discussion on priorities for 2019</p> <p>Concluding remarks: Co-chair closing remarks and summary of future priorities and action items.</p>	

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9:35 – 9:50	Health Break (change in participants)	
9:50 – 11:05 Room: Koojesse South Seating: hollow square	Closed Mines Ministers' Session	<p>Opening Remarks: Minister Akeeagok will provide welcoming remarks and review of agenda</p> <p>Overview: Summary of EMMC 2018 Mines IGWG Deliverables</p> <p>Interactive session with Ministers on the Canadian Minerals and Metals Plan (to provide high-level goals, actions and benchmarked targets on the pillars of the Plan). Ministers will be asked to indicate their level of support of the principles, goals, actions and targets, and identify opportunities for collaboration on short, medium and long-term actions</p> <p>Priority areas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Improving Economic Development and Competitiveness ○ Respecting Communities and the Environment ○ Leading Science, Technology and Innovation ○ Becoming a Global Leader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minister Schumann will provide an update on August 12th discussions with National Indigenous Leaders/Indigenous Leaders on the Canadian Minerals and Metals Plans and advancing participation <p>CMMP Process</p> <p>Closing Remarks</p>
11:05 – 11:10	Transition Break (change in participants)	
11:10 – 11:25 Room: Koojesse South Seating: hollow square	Joint Closed Energy and Mines Ministers' Session <i>Meeting concludes</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approval of Communiqué • Co-chair Minister Sohi and Ministers Akeeagok and Ehloak provide closing remarks
11:25 – 11:30	Transition Break (change in participants)	
11:30 – 12:00 Room: Koojesse North	Press Conference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMMC Co-chairs, Ministers Sohi, Akeeagok and Ehloak to offer remarks • Other Ministers will be invited to attend 	
11:45 – 12:00	Shuttle leaves for airport	
13:30 – 13:45	Flights Depart Iqaluit	

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