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Hon. Norman Moore MLC - Minister for Mines and Petroleum Government of Western Australian

Norman Moore was elected to the Legislative Council in 1977 and was appointed Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; and Electoral Affairs on the election of the Liberal-National Government in September 2008.

Since his appointment to the Mines and Petroleum portfolio, Minister Moore has overseen big improvements to the State Government approvals processes for resources exploration and development. This has resulted in increased certainty for industry, attracted resource project investment and increased the economic benefits for all West Australians.

The Minister has also initiated the single biggest overhaul of the mining industry's occupational health and safety system, lifted the previous ban on uranium mining and helped the State move towards increased energy security and improved standards of living.

Hon. Tom Koutsantonis MP - Minister for Mineral Resources and Energy South Australian Government

The Hon Tom Koutsantonis MP is the Minister for Manufacturing Innovation and Trade, Minister for Mineral Resources and Energy and Minister for Small Business and also is the chair of the State Government's Competitiveness Council. He was elected to the South Australian State Parliament in October 1997, was the presiding member of the Economic and Finance Committee from 2006 – 2009 and appointed to the Ministry in March 2009.

Dr Haksoo Kim - Director, Fuel Supply Exelon Generation Company LLC

Dr Haksoo Kim is the Nuclear Fuel Supply Director for Exelon Generation Company - which is the largest Nuclear Utility in the United States. He is responsible for the procurement and management of nuclear fuel for Exelon's seventeen nuclear units.

Dr Kim is a graduate of the Seoul National University with a Bachelors degree and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin in nuclear engineering. He has worked in the Nuclear Fuel Department within Exelon Generation Company for over 25 years and has extensive experience in nuclear fuel procurement, contract management, fuel economics, and reactor safety analysis.

He holds a Senior Reactor Operator (SRO) certification for Braidwood Nuclear station. He is also currently a World Nuclear Fuel Market (WNFM) Board of Governors.

Dudley Kingsnorth - Professor Centre for Research in Energy and Minerals Economics & The Industrial Minerals Company of Australia Pty Ltd

Dudley Kingsnorth has over 40 years experience in the international mining industry. He is recognised as a world authority on the rare earths market and rare earths project development through his 20 year association with the industry, initially as Project Manager of the Mt Weld Rare Earths Project and over the past 11 years as an independent consultant to the industry. He is the author/editor of the last four editions of the Roskill report on rare earths.

Mark Whitwill - Head, Out of Core

Kernkraftwerk Gösgen-Däniken AG

Since January 2010 Mark has been Head, Out of Core, at Kernkraftwerk Gösgen-Däniken AG (KKG) in Switzerland. KKG is the owner and operator of a 1,035 MWe PWR located some 50 km west of Zurich.

Mark heads a department responsible for all nuclear fuel cycle front end procurement, including uranium, conversion, enrichment and fuel fabrication. He is also responsible for back end activities including spent fuel storage, reprocessing and high level waste management.

Prior to joining KKG, Mark was a senior consultant for NAC International and manager of their Zurich operations. Before moving to Switzerland, Mark started his career in the nuclear industry working for the CEGB in England, as a fuel buyer, including several years in the British Civil Uranium Procurement Organisation.

Armin Orichel - Senior Executive

RSB Logistic

Armin Orichel joined RSB LOGISTIC in 1985 (formerly known as Reederei und Spedition Braunkohle), a part of the RWE group of companies, one of the biggest German utilities.

In 2003 the nuclear transport activities were excluded from RWE's core business and since then RSB is part of the Kieserling group of companies, a medium size German transport company with its headquarters in Bremen Germany.

In 2009 he was promoted Senior Executive within RSB and has also been chairman of the transport working group of the World Nuclear Association, the biggest interest group in the nuclear industry worldwide, since 2008.

Day Wednesday 18 July 2012

8.40am	Opening Address Doug Bowie - Manager, Resources Vertical Events	
8.45am	Official Opening Hon. Norman Moore MLC Minister for Mines and Petroleum, Government of Western Australia	ia
9.05am	Market Update Eddie Rigg - Managing Director Argonaut Limited	
9.25am	Uranex Ltd Rod Chittenden - Acting CEO	UNX
9.45am	Uranium Procurement - A European Utility's Perspective Mark Whitwill - Head, Out of Core Kernkraftwerk Gösgen-Däniken AG	;
10.05am	South Australia Ministerial Address Hon. Tom Koutsantonis MP - Mini for Mineral Resources and Energy <i>South Australian Government</i>	ister
10.25am	MORNING TEA	
11.00am	UXA Resources Ltd Dr Stephen Russell Penney - Managing Director	UXA
11.20am	Enterprise Metals Ltd Dermot Ryan - Managing Director	ENT
11.40am	Uranium: Playing the Long Game - But How Long? Allan Trench - Consultant CRU The Independent Authority	
12.00pm	Energy Metals Ltd Dr Weidong (Gary) Xiang - Managing Director Paul Dunbar - Exploration Manager	EME
12.20pm	LUNCH	
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1.20pm	The Japan Nuclear Accident: Health and the Environment Dr Rick Tir Director of Environment and Public Health Australian Radiation Protect and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA)	
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10.25am MORNING TEA

11.00am	Investment Opportunities in the Worldwide Uranium Sector Marino G. Pieterse - Publisher & Editor Uraniumletter International
11.20am	Uranium in Western Australia - Progressing to a Mine Rachel Maiden - Principal Project Officer Department of Mines and Petroleum
11.40am	Newly Identified Uranium and REE Mineral Systems in the Northern Territory Ian Scrimgeour - Director, Northern Territory Geological Survey Northern Territory Government
12.00pm	What to Look for when Generating a Uranium Mineral Resource Estimate Aloysius (Louis) Voortman - Principal Resource Geologist <i>Coffey Mining</i>
12.20pm	LUNCH
1.20pm	NSW: The New Frontier for Uranium Exploration Robert Blayney - Senior Manager, Industry Investment Attraction, Resources & Energy New South Wales Government
1.40pm	Selection of an Appropriate Oxidant for Uranium Leaching Operations Mark Maley - Senior Hydrometallurgist, Uranium Processing Group ANSTO Minerals
2.00pm	Broadening Opportunities and Narrowing the Uranium Exploration Focus in South Australia Martin Fairclough - Chief Geoscientist Geological Survey of South Australia, Government of South Australia
2.20pm	To Gamma or Not To Gamma? U235 Detection Methods: Core Assay vs. Prompt Fission Neutron vs. Gamma Alex Ross - Business Development Manager GAA Wireline
2.40pm	DAY ONE END OF TECHNICAL AND GOVERNMENT PRESENTATIONS
	AFTERNOON TEA

Thursday 19 July 2012

Day 2

MAIN AUDITORIUM

9.00am	Government Support for Uranium Exploration and Development in the Northern Territory Alister Trier - Executive Director, Minerals and Energy Northern Territory Government
9.20am	Peninsula Energy Ltd Alf Gillman - General Manager, Project Development PEN
9.40am	Australia's Changing Uranium Politics Michael Angwin - Chief Executive Officer Australian Uranium Association
10.00am	Bannerman Resources Ltd Peter Kerr - Chief Financial Officer BMN
10.20am	A-Cap Resources Ltd Steve Groves - General Manager, Exploration ACB
10.40am	MORNING TEA
11.10am	Laramide Resources Ltd TSX: LAM Peter Mullens - Vice President Exploration Director
11.30am	Callabonna Uranium Ltd Michael Raetz - Director CUU
11.50am	Shipping U308 from Australia: A Transporter's View Armin Orichel - Senior Executive RSB Logistic
12.10pm	The Reality of the Uranium Market Bahi Sivalingham - Director, Business Development TradeTech
12.30pm	LUNCH
1.20pm	Deep Yellow Ltd Greg Cochran - Managing Director DYL
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11.10am	The Global Rare Earths Industry; Getting the Balance Right Dudley Kingsnorth - Professor Centre for Research in Energy and Mineral Economics & The Industrial Minerals Company of Australia Pty Ltd
11.50am	Alkane Resources Ltd ALK Ian Chalmers - Managing Director
12.10pm	Rare Earths and Uranium - Process Options for Recovery as Products or By-Products Dr Karin Soldenhoff - Manager, Process Development Research ANSTO Minerals
12.30pm	LUNCH
1.20pm	The Rare Earth Equities Market Today & Future Forward Tracy Weslosky - Chief Executive Officer ProEdge Media Corporation
1.40pm	Peak Resources Ltd PEK Richard Beazley - Managing Director PEK
2.00pm	TUC Resources Ltd TUC Ian Bamborough - Managing Director
2.20pm	Environmental Radiation Monitoring & Compliance in Rare Earths Projects, a Case Study Anthony O'Brien - Managing Director Radiation Professionals Pty Ltd
2.40pm	CLOSE OF RARE EARTHS FORUM
3.00pm	AFTERNOON TEA



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