

# **2011 Communication on Progress**

Supplementary Note

Please refer to Newmont's 2011 Annual Sustainability Report, Beyond the Mine, for responses to criteria one through thirty-four.

#### ADDITIONAL 10 CRITERIA FOR ENGAGING WITH THE UN GLOBAL COMPACT

### **Engaging with the UN Global Compact**

## Local Networks and Subsidiary Engagement:

Criterion 35: The COP describes contribution to building and operating at least one UN Global Compact Local Network and elevating performance of other companies through training, mentoring, COP peer review, etc.

Newmont engaged the Global Compact Local Network team on January 12, 2012 to discuss potential options for participating in local networks around our operations in Peru, Ghana, Indonesia, Australia and the U.S. In the next year, Newmont plans to engage the Peruvian local network through its subsidiary in Peru to identify opportunities for workshops, conferences and sharing of best practices.

Criterion 36: The COP describes subsidiary engagement with UN Global Compact Local Networks and to active participation in events and activities.

Newmont's subsidiary in Peru, Minera Yanacocha S.R.L. and its Peruvian partner, Compania de Minas Buenaventura, have participated in the UN Global Compact since 2004. In the coming year, Newmont plans to work through its subsidiary and local business partner to identify opportunities for and to organize industry events and activities.

Criterion 37: The COP describes publication of sustainability information related to each individual subsidiary separately or referenced explicitly in the Communications on Progress of Corporate Headquarters.

Newmont's annual sustainability report is not currently designed to include this information. Newmont is working to consolidate and link sustainability information related to each subsidiary in the company's annual sustainability report for 2012.

## Global and Local Working Groups:

Criterion 38: The COP describes participation in relevant global or local working groups and dialogue on experiences, networks, tools and good practices with other UN Global Compact participants.

Newmont actively participates in the Task Force on Business Engagement with Indigenous Peoples. Newmont has participated in all of the task force webinars, provided company policies and procedures, commented on the Good Practice Note drafted by Foley Hoag and completed an interview with the Task Force office regarding Newmont's experiences and work around indigenous engagement.

Criterion 39: The COP describes active participation in defining scope and objectives of new working groups when relevant.

Newmont provided comments on the Task Force's Work plan and agendas of select webinars.

## Issue-Based and Sector Initiatives:

Criterion 40: The COP describes the advancement of one or more existing UN Global Compact initiatives, e.g. Caring for Climate, CEO Water Mandate, Women's Empowerment Principles, and Global Business Initiative on Human Rights.

Newmont did not contribute to the advancement of UN Global Compact initiatives. Newmont plans to identify opportunities for participation during 2012.

Criterion 41: The COP describes development of new need-driven issue-based or sector initiatives within the UN Global Compact and the wider United Nations.

Newmont is involved in the development of the Integrated Biodiversity Assessment Tool with Conservation International and the UNEP World conservation Monitoring Center.

 $\underline{\text{http://www.beyondthemine.com/2011/environmental\_stewardship/biodiversity/integrated\_biodiversity\_as}\\ \underline{\text{sessment\_tool}}$ 

Newmont also recognizes and promotes the human right to safe and clean drinking water as set forth recently by the United Nations General Assembly.

 $\underline{http://www.beyondthemine.com/2011/environmental\_stewardship/water\_management/water\_as\_a\_huma \\ \underline{n\_right}$ 

## Promotion and Support of the UN Global Compact:

Criterion 42: The COP describes advocacy for engagement with the UN Global Compact to business partners, peers and the general public.

Newmont has been a strong advocate of the UNGC in two multi-stakeholder initiatives that the company is involved with as well as during meetings with stakeholders regarding human rights matters.

Criterion 43: The COP describes the encouragement of suppliers and other business partners to join the UN Global Compact and mentorship on issues related to the initiative.

Newmont does not encourage suppliers or other business partners to join the UNGC. Newmont does require that suppliers and business partners respect and comply with the Company's commitments under the Global Compact's 10 principles.

Criterion 44: The COP describes participation in activities to further develop and strengthen the UN Global Compact.

Newmont's activities described throughout the company's annual sustainability report illustrate the company's efforts to further develop and strengthen the values and priorities set forth in the UN Global Compact.