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The Honourable John McCallum, Minister of Natural Resources and National Revenue to Address Mining Day on the Hill Delegates

On Tuesday, November 22nd, over 50 of Canada's senior mining industry executives will be in Ottawa to participate in the Mining Association of Canada's annual *Mining Day on the Hill*. The Honourable John McCallum, Minister of Natural Resources and National Revenue will address delegates at the annual luncheon.

This year, Mining Day will focus on declining mineral reserves and the human resource opportunities and challenges facing the sector, and how both can be addressed to ensure the industry maintains its competitive advantage.

The media are invited to attend the following activities on Tuesday November 22, 2005:

Activity	Time and location
Newsmaker Breakfast featuring John Eby, Vice Chairman of Mining at Scotia Capital . Mr Eby's speech is entitled, "Mining in Canada: Dynamic, Innovative and the Bedrock of our Country"	7:45 am-9:00 am National Press Club 165 Sparks Street
Mining Association of Canada Luncheon: Keynote Speaker – the Honourable John McCallum, Minister of Natural Resources Canada and National Revenue . This event is open to media- no cameras. Please reserve ahead.	11:45 AM - 2:00 PM Rideau Club 99 Bank Street

For more information and to reserve for the luncheon:

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The Mining Association of Canada is a national organization of the Canadian mining industry. It comprises companies engaged in mineral exploration, mining, smelting, refining and semi-fabrication. Member companies account for the vast majority of Canada's output of metals and major industrial minerals.

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