

Jonathan Beardsworth meets President Arroyo

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Jonathan Beardsworth, Managing Director of Metals Exploration Plc, today met with President of the Republic of the Philippines, HE President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo, during her two day visit to the UK. President Arroyo travelled to the UK to address the Emerging Markets Summit, alongside the Heads of Government of Rwanda, Tunisia, Ukraine, Turkey and Thailand.

Jonathan was accompanied by Christian Candy of Solomon Capital, a 44.1% shareholder in Metals Exploration. Also present were Ambassador Antonio Lagdameo, of the Philippine Embassy, London; Secretary Peter B. Favila, of the Department of Trade and Industry; Secretary Jose L. Atienza, Jr., Department of Environment and Natural Resources and Michael Alfred Ignacio, Commercial Attaché of the Philippine Trade & Investment Center in London.

The ongoing development of the Runruno gold-molybdenum project was discussed, as was the status of the Company's FTAA permit application. During her visit President Arroyo also met with the CEOs of T-mobile and Rio Tinto, as well as Lord Mandelson.

A video clip, as well as more information on President Arroyo's visit is available on the official media website of the [Office of the President](#)¹

Following the meeting Jonathan spoke at the Philippine Business Forum, where a keynote address was given by Secretary Peter B. Favila. Jonathan's presentation focused on his insights and experiences in the mining sector.



Jonathan Beardsworth meets HE President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo in London to discuss the Runruno gold-moly project in Luzon, northern Philippines

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