

Minimising negative impacts of bauxite mining in Guinea



Current situation

Aluminium is an important element of many components used by energy-sector companies. Guinea is the world's leading exporter of bauxite, the raw material for aluminium production. There are numerous reports of human rights risks and environmental risks in Guinean bauxite mining.



Goal and purpose

In order to spread ambitious mining standards for bauxite mining in Guinea, the plan is to develop common requirements for suppliers.
The establishment of a dialogue format is intended to exert influence on mining companies in order to promote the implementation of remedies.



Due diligence obligations

Joint human rights due diligence measures of the sectoral initiative:
Prevention: Specification of human-rights related requirements in raw material mining to be fulfilled by suppliers for improvements in the supply chain
Remedy: Development and implementation of a plan to minimise risks of negative impacts caused by responsible parties.



Planning of activities

