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Mining Sub-Fund Eligibility Assessment Form

Purpose: Information
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Mining Sub-fund: Eligibility Assessment Form

Project Title:

Proposing Economy:

Proposing APEC Forum:

		Yes	No*	Remarks
1	<p>Will the proposed project involve the private sector, either through partnership and/or participation, by providing clear evidence that relevant private stakeholders are included in the project planning and implementation, such as through funding and/or in-kind contributions, and expertise?</p>			
2	<p>Will the proposed project deliver capacity building activities in APEC developing economies** that improve</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the enabling environment for trade and investment in mining AND • the capacity of local businesses, its mining industry and/or regulators in one or more of the following areas?: <p><i>Sustainability aimed to promote economic and social development and inclusion, such as education, workforce training, and innovation and technology cooperation</i></p> <p><i>Corporate social responsibility, including promoting the social license to operate and leading practice in mining and life cycle management such as rehabilitation and post mine closure</i></p> <p><i>Transparent and efficient regulation and governance to facilitate trade and investment in mining</i></p>			
<p>Note: While proposals are not expected to address all of these above areas, they must however be consistent with all of them and the overall intention of the sub fund</p>				
3	<p>Will the proposed project progress APEC's gender objectives and demonstrate how they will benefit and not disadvantage women?</p> <p>Proposals must include women and women's perspectives in their design, implementation and evaluation.***</p>			
<p>Note: Proposals generated within the MTF will be prioritised by the MTF in accordance to their relevance to the above criteria. Proposals generated by other APEC fora will be prioritised within those fora.</p>				
4	Does the proposal demonstrate the backing of the developing economies the proposal is most likely to impact on?			

* If any of the rows highlighted in green are marked "No", the project is deemed ineligible for funding under the Mining Sub-fund. If the assessment is 'No' for any of the rows highlighted in green, a justification must be provided in the 'Remarks' column.

** Projects for funding under the APEC Support Fund (ASF), including its sub-funds and in this case the Mining Sub Fund, will in principle be open for participation by all APEC members, but funding will be available only for capacity building projects that primarily benefit developing economy members. If it furthers the interests of APEC, one or more non-APEC developing economies may be additional beneficiaries of an ASF proposal. This will be determined on a case-by-case basis in accordance with normal procedures on non-member participation in APEC activities.

*** Please refer to Appendix I of the [Guidebook on APEC Projects](#) for more information

Assessment submitted by: <Insert name of MTF Representative>

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Date submitted: <Insert date>