

Metinvest Organises International Health, Safety and Environment (HSE) Conference

Metinvest, an international vertically integrated group of metals and mining companies, organized an international HSE conference. Representatives of more than 80 industrial businesses, governmental officials, international experts and consultants attended the event.

Among the conference delegates were over two hundred recognized health, safety and environment specialists such as Bureau Veritas Certification (Ukraine), DuPont Sustainable Solutions (Russia), FRECOM (Russia), NITEX Limited (UK), Lindstrom (Finland), Eskene West (Kazakhstan), SMC Consulting.

The conference discussed health and safety improvement in the industry, modern safety culture, modern ways to manage efficiency and overcome efficiency barriers, production and environmental risk assessment, pre-hospital care improvement and ecological balance preservation.

In his opening address Igor Syry, the CEO of Metinvest, stated, in particular: "Health and safety mission of Metinvest is based on fundamental principles followed by all members of the World Steel Association who strive for zero rate of occupational diseases and injuries and want to create healthy work environment. In other words, there is nothing more important than people's health and safety."

The keynote idea of the conference, including its roundtable discussions, was focused on mechanisms and ways to change dramatically safety culture in production.

For editors:

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