

Mangkang county : STOP Mining Tibet!

Tibet's Resources Belong to Tibetans:

SFT Canada

Canadian and British mining companies are leading the effort to exploit Tibet's natural resources and *we need your help* to stop these companies in their tracks.

Spotlight

On June 25, 2009-- Tsering Lama, National Director of SFT Canada, speaks out at the Continental Minerals Annual General Meeting, and submits over 1600 petitions of people calling for Continental Minerals to stop mining in Tibet. SFTers who were kicked out "die" in the hallway outside the meeting.

On June 25, 2009-- Tibetans and supporters held a dramatic protest against Hunter Dickinson's subsidiary Continental Minerals in front of the Toronto Stock Exchange in Canada.

On June 24, 2009-- Tibetans and supporters staged a die-in protest at the main Mcleod Square, Dharamshala this evening to protest mining in Tibet by Hunter Dickinson's Continental Minerals. The action was part of the global campaign demanding Continental Minerals immediately cease all mining in Tibet.

"We are here to call for the immediate withdrawal of HDI/Continental Minerals from Chinese-occupied Tibet." said Tenzin Choedon, Program Director of Students for a free Tibet India.
Company Profiles

Under Chinese occupation, Tibetans have no voice to determine the use of their own natural resources. Mining in this context poses a serious threat to the Tibetan people, their culture and the environment. Join the global effort to get the following Canadian and British mining companies to immediately withdraw from Tibet.

Mining Update:

Pulled out of Tibet:

Zhongkai Company:

Chinese mining company, Zhongkai, pulled out of its proposed gold mine expansion in Mangkang county, Tibet on [April 9th](#) after over two months of protests and blockading by some 500 Tibetans who were protecting the sacred mountain where the mine operated.

GobiMin:

Pulled out of its Malonglang, Copper-Zinc project.
TVI announced that it was pulling out of Tibet on March 4, 2008.

[Dynasty Gold pulled out of Qinghai project "Red Valley" announced on Jan 24, 2008.](#)

Recent Actions:

On June 20, 2009-- Tibetans and their supporters protest in the lead up to Vancouver-based Continental Minerals annual shareholders' meeting on Wednesday, June 24th to intensify pressure on the company to cease mining operations in Chinese-occupied Tibet.

Members of the public were invited to sign letters to the company, calling for its immediate withdraw from Tibet.

On May 4-5, 2009 -- Tibetans and their supporters protested HDI/Continental Minerals at the Hard Assets Investment Conference in NYC and distributed hundreds of open letters to conference participants and mining company executives.

On March 1, 2009 -- Seven members of Students for a Free Tibet and local Tibetan students staged a mock die-in at the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada Mining Convention in Toronto. Targeting the Hunter Dickinson booth, they unfurled a fifteen foot long banner that read "HDI: Stop Mining in Tibet" and handed out flyers to the convention members while chanting "Tibet belongs to Tibetans," and "Hunter Dickinson: stop mining in Tibet." Outside, several hundred Tibetans braved the cold and protested at the entrance of the Metro Convention Centre for nearly four hours.