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Coalition Updates.

• 9 mine workers have died of silicosis in the past 2 years in

Panna. Since then, there have been continuous demand for compensation from the government for their families. In April 2024, widows of 2 silicosisaffected workers, were given



assistance of Rs 3.3 lakh by the government. Prithvi Trust held discussions with them on how to optimally use the



सप्रीम कोर्ट ने प्रदेश सरकार से मांगा जवाब compensation amount. Meanwhile, the Supreme Court during a hearing on 30th of April, has sought report from states on compensation and

rehabilitation of workers suffering from silicosis. The detailed news (in Hindi) can be accessed here.

• A massive rally was organised in Jodhpur, Rajasthan, by various trade unions including the mine workers union to



Interesting Podcasts & Videos.

- Illegal gold mining in Indonesia
- What is the New Collective Quantified Goal (NCQG) on Climate Finance and why is it so important?
- Just Transitions in Resource- and Energy-Producing Countries

India News.

- <u>Critical Minerals Summit Concludes on a note of Strategic</u>
 <u>Collaboration and Policy Insights to Advance India's Critical</u>
 <u>Mineral Agenda</u>
- India gears up for critical minerals expansion with auctions and industry partnerships
- <u>New policy to promote critical minerals in works: Mines Secy</u>
- India seeks overseas help for lithium processing to avoid relying
 on China
- <u>MP native held for swindling Rs 9.56 cr from DMF fund</u>
- NGT suggests Rs 96 crore fine for excess mining in Odisha
- <u>NGT alleges misuse of DMFT fund, seeks response from Mineral</u> <u>dept in Rajasthan</u>
- Hindustan Zinc Unveils India's 2nd All Women Underground Mine
 <u>Rescue Team</u>
- Can green credits benefit India's forests?
- NGT warns collector for not acting against illegal mining on poll code plea

- When the system colludes to support sand mining illegality
- Environmentalist urges public consultations before granting ore transportation permits in Bicholim
- Power for whom? The cost of renewable energy in Ladakh

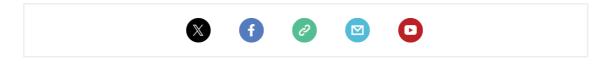
International News.

- UN Secretary-General Convenes Panel on Critical Energy
 Transition Minerals
- <u>COP29 climate summit host Azerbaijan defends oil and gas</u> <u>investments</u>
- Big oil spent decades sowing doubt about fossil fuel dangers, experts testify
- First Quantum Minerals to close Ravensthorpe nickel project with loss of 330 jobs
- Top Glencore shareholders favor keeping coal over spinoff
- <u>G7 nations set 1500GW global energy storage target for 2030</u>
- Tackling Dirty Steel in Auto Supply Chains
- US, Philippines eye agreement to cut China nickel dominance
- <u>Newly proposed tax on fossil fuel giants could raise \$900bn by</u>
 <u>2030</u>
- Glencore mulls mining investments in Nigeria
- Extractive 'green' capitalists are abusing workers and communities in Europe and Asia for transition minerals

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