



XPS Update: Dominic Fragomeni takes over as Director of XPS

On January 1st 2012 Dominic Fragomeni, P.Eng., will take over as Director of XPS. Dominic has been with XPS since it became part of Xstrata in 2006. He has 25 years mineral processing experience after joining Noranda in 1987 and working in various positions at Hemlo Gold, Brunswick Mining, Kidd Creek and at Xstrata Nickel Raglan and Strathcona mills.



Since 2009 Dominic has been manager of the XPS Process Mineralogy group. He has led this group as it continued to grow its expertise in nickel, copper, zinc and PGM flow sheet development and also as it diversified into gold, rare earth and potash markets.

XPS is an internationally recognized metallurgical consulting and test work business providing services to clients inside and outside Xstrata. It provides high quality mineral processing, mineralogy and smelting flowsheet testwork and development along with best practices process control and materials engineering support.

XPS is looking forward to continuing to provide its clients with the highest level of service in all of these important fields of expertise.

Frank McGlynn,
Director, XPS.

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