

Invitation to lunch with



Michael Reich

Chief Executive Officer – Minova International

Tuesday 2 June 2009
commencing 12.30 pm SHARP

The Australian German Association invites you to lunch with **Michael Reich** Chief Executive Officer of Minova International at **12.30 pm on Tuesday 2 June 2009** at The Australian Club, 110 William Street, **MELBOURNE**.

Michael has been with Minova, the global ground control division of the Orica Group, for the past fifteen years having held the position of CEO of Minova's German business for the last five. He has extensive experience in the mining industry particularly in the area of underground coal mining operations. Throughout his career he has held a number of positions including sales and operations management.

Originally part of BP's chemical division, Minova International Ltd (formerly Fosroc Mining) was created following the acquisition in 2003 by Close Brothers, one of the world's leading private equity investors. In January 2007, Minova was sold to the Orica Group of companies. Orica is one of the top 50 companies listed on the Australian Stock Exchange with market capitalisation of approximately AU\$7 billion.

Minova companies apply fifty years of accumulated experience in the fields of strata control and ventilation solutions, and have 12 manufacturing sites in seven countries, with key facilities in the U.S. Germany, Poland, Australia and South Africa. With over 1,200 employees worldwide, the companies draw on a wealth of international experience and technical knowledge, using carefully selected raw materials to formulate and manufacture products that help contribute towards a safer and more productive mining industry.

Members are encouraged to bring guests.

Cost: **AGA Members:** **\$90.00**
 Non-Members: **\$110.00**



RSVP by **Thursday 28 May 2009** (*Registration Form attached*)



Registration Form

**Lunch with Michael Reich: Tuesday 2 June 2009
The Australian Club, MELBOURNE**

Registration Details:

First name: _____ Surname: _____

Position: _____ Company: _____

Tel: _____ Mob: _____

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Are you a member of the Australian German Association: YES / NO

I shall be accompanied by:

First name: _____ Surname: _____

Position: _____ Company: _____

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PAYMENT METHODS

Cost: AGA Members **\$90.00** (inc. GST) Non-Members **\$110.00** (inc. GST)

Cheque or Money Order enclosed payable to "*Australian German Association Inc*"

American Express [NB: No other credit card facility available]

Card Number:

4-digit number above embossed card number

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Signature of Cardholder:

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