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EXTRACTING TRANSPARENCY IN THE EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRIES

Transparency International (UK) is holding a Meeting, open to members and other interested parties on Wednesday, 8 March 2006 at 6pm.

The guest speakers will be:

DAVID MURRAY, Senior Adviser to the Chairman, EITI International Advisory Group, and former Deputy Chairman, TI(UK).

RICHARD MURPHY, FCA of Tax Research LLP and Visiting Fellow at the Centre for Global Political Economy at the University of Sussex. Recently he was the author of the Publish What You Pay Report, 'Extracting Transparency – the need for an International Financial Reporting Standard for the Extractive Industries'.

HENRY PARHAM, International Co-ordinator of the Publish What You Pay coalition.

The meeting will be chaired by LAURENCE COCKCROFT, Chairman of TI(UK).

In their presentations, the speakers will comment on different aspects of the challenge of increasing transparency in the reporting of company payments and corresponding government revenues in natural resource rich developing countries, with particular reference to the experience being gained through the UK Government-led Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI). They will also focus on the desirability and implications of a new international financial reporting standard for extractive industries.

The meeting will be held at the offices of TI(UK) at Downstream Building, 1 London Bridge, London SE1 9BG. The nearest underground stations are London Bridge and Monument.

Drinks will be served and there will be time for discussion.

REGISTRATION

There is no charge for non-members for this meeting but to attend it is necessary to register with TI(UK) by 6 March, either by telephone, fax, e-mail or post.

Please address any en-	quiries concerning the	meeting to:
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I wish to attend the 8 March meeting.
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