

(Unofficial translation)

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On Wednesday 9 November 2016, Mr John Langtry, Australian Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Ambassador to Mongolia paid a courtesy call to Mr Erdenebat J., the Prime Minister of Mongolia.

Prime Minister Erdenebat J. said Mongolia and Australia's relations have been expanding in education, investment, mining and agricultural sectors in the past years and 2017 commemorates the 45th anniversary of the diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Ambassador John Langtry said 'Australia leads in its tertiary education as well as training mining sector tradesmen. Since 1994, over 440 Mongolians studied in Australia under the Australia Awards Program. It is possible a new intake of scholars will be held in 2017.'

The Government aims to create supportive environment for the international mining investors. The Prime Minister emphasised the importance of mega projects including Oyu Tolgoi and shared his experience working in the South Gobi region over the weekend and his tour around the underground construction.

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