



Description of the unit of intangible cultural heritage

Unique identification of heritage: **2-00091**

Name of the unit: **The leather jump**

Category of heritage:
social practices, rituals and festive events

Brief description:

The leather jump is a custom through which novices enter the mining profession. It normally takes place at the end of schooling as part of the mining festive day. With a jump over a leather apron, the novice miner symbolically jumps over the mine shaft, acquires a godfather and is sworn into the profession.

Photo:

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