

Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited
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("Harmony" and/or "the Company")

Harmony appoints Peter Steenkamp as chief executive officer

Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited ("Harmony" or the "Company") announces the appointment of Peter Steenkamp as its chief executive officer (CEO), effective 1 January 2016.

Following the announcement of Graham Briggs' retirement in July 2015, the Harmony board began a formal search for a new chief executive officer.

Harmony Chairman, Patrice Motsepe, said: "The board is very happy to welcome Peter back to Harmony. Peter worked for Harmony for four years and his last position at the Company was chief operating officer. He has more than thirty years' experience in the mining industry and should lead Harmony to greater heights."

Peter (55), holds a BSc degree in Engineering (Mining) and was most recently Senior Vice President: Mining of Sasol Mining Proprietary Limited. Prior to this he held executive positions at Harmony, African Rainbow Minerals (ARM) and Pamodzi Gold.

"Returning to the gold sector and to Harmony is like coming home. The Company has demonstrated its resilience during recent challenging times and has been positioned for profitability by the management team. I am committed to ensuring that Harmony creates value for all its stakeholders and is a globally competitive company," says Peter Steenkamp.

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