

Harmony resumes operations at Evander after 3 fatalities

South African gold miner Harmony Gold on Wednesday (September 28) resumed operations at its Evander mine in Mpumalanga.

Harmony Gold spokesperson Marian van der Walt confirmed that operations had been resumed, except for the area where an accident resulted in the death of three people on Monday. The company had not yet received the outcome of investigations into the ore pass accident.

However, the company said in a statement that following an ore pass accident and subsequent rescue efforts, an employee and two members of an external rescue team were fatally injured on Monday.



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Shaft Sinkers, an established, reputable company, a leader in South African and international shaft sinking and mining contracting, has a very successful track record since 1961. We are looking for candidates for the following positions in our Company:



ENGINEERING / CIVIL CONSTRUCTION FOREMAN (Marikana Area)

General duties / responsibilities: Responsible for all civil construction & structural installation work in a mechanised mining environment; (i.e. Civils on the decline conveyor – plinths & floor (Drive, take-up, head, along conveyor & tail-end), Concrete work in & around tip excavations, Bulkhead civils, Pumps station dams & chamber civils (pumps, pipes, strainer boxes), Sub-station civils, Work shop civils, Civils to accommodate rails for track bound equipment, etc.); Planning of all mechanical installation; Enforcing the requirements of the Mine health and safety act and regulations, the OSH act where applicable; all codes of practices as prescribed by the client, all Shaft Sinkers SHEQ standards and procedures, all of the Mine standards, procedures and special instructions issued from time to time. Candidates must be able to maintain good employee relations, safety and risk management and effective communication within their teams.

General requirements: Must be in possession of a valid Section 13 Mechanical Trade Test Certificate; Minimum of 2 years experience as a Foreman in a mechanised mining environment; Candidate must have good understanding of civil drawings (i.e. reinforcing, hold down bolts, shuttering placement, scaffolding casting of concrete etc.) & the required safety & quality standards applicable. Must have strong management principles, organizational skills, ability to execute on scheduled work, good communication skills, familiar with the requirements of all the applicable acts and regulations. This person must be able to work under pressure and within deadlines and manage sub contractors.

ELEC ENG FOREMAN: ORD (Marikana Area)

General duties / responsibilities: Responsible for all mechanical and electrical work in a mechanised mining environment; (i.e. scrapers winches and new installations, locos, rolling stock, loaders, pumps, electrical reticulation and power extensions, etc.); Coordinate daily, weekly and monthly maintenance of all electrical and mechanical equipment and machinery used; Planning of all mechanical and electrical installation and co-ordinate all breakdown repairs on all mechanical and electrical equipment; Enforcing the requirements of the Mine health and safety act and regulations, the OSH act where applicable; all codes of practices as prescribed by the client, all Shaft Sinkers SHEQ standards and procedures, all of the Mine standards, procedures and special instructions issued from time to time. Candidates must be able to maintain good employee relations, safety and risk management and effective communication within their teams.

General requirements: Must be in possession of a valid Section 13 Electrical Trade Test Certificate; Minimum of 2 years experience as an Electrical Foreman in a mechanised mining environment. Candidates with experience in the mechanical engineering field will have a distinct advantage; Candidate must have good understanding of the legal requirements and responsibilities and the required safety & quality standards applicable; Five years experience on underground electrical HT and LT reticulation and sub station installations; Must have strong management principles, good communication skills, familiar with the requirements of all the applicable acts and regulations ensuring that log books are kept. This person must be able to work under pressure and within deadlines.

RIGGER / ROPESMAN (Leeuwkop)

General duties / responsibilities: Conducting routine maintenance and legal inspections. Duties include the statutory requirements relating to lifting of equipment, hand chainblocks, tiffors, overhead cranes etc.; Good employee relations; Safety and risk management; Effective communication; Health and Safety in the workplace. This candidate will be reporting to the Foreman.

General requirements: Must be in possession of a valid Section 12B/ 13 Trade Test Certificate; St 10/ Grade 12 will be an advantage; At least 6 years experience in a sinking environment. Candidates with exposure to international sinking projects will have a distinct advantage. All applicants must have a valid certificate of fitness. Applicants who are in possession of a Code 12 / EC license applicable for Crane driving will have a distinct advantage.

Closing date: 7 October 2011

• Fax or e-mail applications to Esbé Miller at:
• E-Mail: esbem@shaftsinkers.co.za • Fax: (086) 743 9034

Please state clearly the position for which application is made. Applications received after the closing date will not be taken into consideration. In the event that you do not hear from the Company within a period of 21 days after the closing date of applications, your application shall be deemed unsuccessful.

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Materials Co-ordinator

This position will play a critical role in the development, implementation and communication of commodity-based strategies that are designed to improve the cost, quality and delivery of purchased products. With the primary function aimed at improving service and reducing the Total Cost of Ownership of materials, the Materials Co-ordinator position will contribute significantly to operational and supply chain performance. This role will have ownership and direct participation in materials management and continuous improvement initiatives. A specialist with knowledge of the mining environment and expertise in the following key performance areas is therefore required:

- Implement and maintain materials management system (Sage X3)
- Determine Minimum Stock Levels, re-order levels etc.
- Liaise with Buyer to replenish stock
- Manage inbound and outbound
- Rotating stock takes and reconciliations
- Management of stores staff

Qualifications & Experience

- A related B-Com or equivalent qualification will be advantageous.
- At least 3 years materials management experience in the mining industry (preferably with Process Plant exposure)
- Computer literary (Excel, Word, outlook, PowerPoint etc) Sage X3 experience will be advantageous

Applicants should forward their CV's to:

The HR Department, Email: hvacancy@tharisa.com

Closing date for the applications: 07 October 2011

Only type, **MC0001** in the subject bar when applying for this position

Only candidates who meet the above requirements or more need apply.

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15 October 2011

Rustenburg Platinum Mine's Recreation Club,
Waterval Village

All Anglo American Rustenburg operations have established a communication channel through which the Rustenburg community can log issues and concerns.

Anglo American Platinum Operations in the Rustenburg area will be hosting an environmental open day from 10h00 to 12h00, Saturday 15 October 2011 at the Rustenburg Platinum Mine Recreation Club. The theme for the event will focus on Harbour Day.

Members of the public are invited to visit the exhibition stands manned by Anglo Platinum employees responsible for Environmental Management and engage and participate with the personnel. You are encouraged to visit these exhibitions any time during 10h00 to 12h00.

Should you have any queries please contact Stephen Bullock on 083 455 2754.