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Sephaku Holdings Ltd and its Subsidiaries  
Group Annual Financial statements  
for the year ended 29 February 2008

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(Registration number 2005/003306/06)

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## General Information

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| Country of incorporation and domicile       | South Africa   |                                    |
| Nature of business and principal activities | Mining and development   |                                    |
| Directors                                   | L Mohuba   | Chairman                           |
|   | NR Crafford-Lazarus  | Chief Executive Officer            |
|   | CR de Wet de Bruin   |                                    |
|   | RR Matjui  |                                    |
|   | ME Smit  |                                    |
|   | GS Mahlali   | Non-Executive Director             |
|   | MM Ngoasheng   | Non-Executive Director             |
|   | J Bennette   | Alternate director to RR Matjui    |
|   | D Twist  | Alternate director to CRD de Bruin |
| Registered office                           | 4A Manhattan Office Park<br>16 Pieter Road<br>Highveld Technopark<br>Centurion<br>0169 |                                    |
| Postal address                              | PO Box 68149<br>Highveld<br>0169   |                                    |
| Bankers                                     | ABSA Centurion   |                                    |
| Auditors                                    | PKF (Pretoria) Incorporated<br>Registered Auditors                                     |                                    |
| Secretary                                   | Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd   |                                    |
| Company registration number                 | 2005/003306/06   |                                    |

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## Report of the Independent Auditors

previously

*Friedrich Hoffmann* PKF

### To the shareholder of Sephaku Holdings Ltd and its Subsidiaries

We have audited the accompanying group annual financial statements of Sephaku Holdings Ltd and its Subsidiaries, which comprise the directors' report, the balance sheet as at 29 February 2008, the income statement, the statement of changes in equity and cash flow statement for the year then ended, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes, as set out on pages 5 to 42.

#### Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The company's directors are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these group annual financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, and in the manner required by the South African Companies Act, 1973. This responsibility includes: designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of group annual financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these group annual financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the group annual financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the group annual financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the group annual financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the group annual financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the group annual financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Opinion

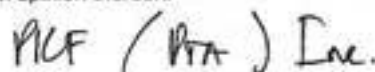
In our opinion, the group annual financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the company as of 29 February 2008, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, and in the manner required by the South African Companies Act, 1973.

#### Emphasis of Matter

Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 36 to the annual financial statements which indicates that the previously issued financial statements for the year ended 28 February 2008, on which we issued an auditor's report dated 02 December 2008, have been revised and reissued. The reasons for the re-issue of the annual financial statements is set out in Note 36.

#### Supplementary Information

We draw your attention to the fact that the supplementary information set out on page 43 does not form part of the group annual financial statements and is presented as additional information. We have not audited this information and accordingly do not express an opinion thereon.



PKF (Pta) Incorporated  
Registered Auditors  
Per: JF Grobler

22 July 2009

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Directors RP Badenhorst (Managing) JF Grobler M Manilal S Ranchhoojee A Salickram J Tromp



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## Directors' Responsibilities and Approval

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The directors are required by the South African Companies Act, 1973, to maintain adequate accounting records and are responsible for the content and integrity of the group annual financial statements and related financial information included in this report. It is their responsibility to ensure that the group annual financial statements fairly present the state of affairs of the group as at the end of the financial year and the results of its operations and cash flows for the period then ended, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards. The external auditors are engaged to express an independent opinion on the group annual financial statements.

The group annual financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and are based upon appropriate accounting policies consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates.

The directors acknowledge that they are ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial control established by the group and place considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the directors to meet these responsibilities, the board of directors sets standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost effective manner. The standards include the proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the group and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring the group's business is conducted in a manner that in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. The focus of risk management in the group is on identifying, assessing, managing and monitoring all known forms of risk across the group. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, the group endeavours to minimise it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behaviour are applied and managed within predetermined procedures and constraints.

The directors are of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management, that the system of internal control provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the preparation of the group annual financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The directors have reviewed the group's cash flow forecast for the year to 28 February 2009 and, in the light of this review and the current financial position, they are satisfied that the group has or has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

The external auditors are responsible for independently reviewing and reporting on the group's group annual financial statements. The group annual financial statements have been examined by the group's external auditors and their report is presented on page 3.

The group annual financial statements set out on pages 5 to 43, which have been prepared on the going concern basis, were approved by the board of directors on 22 July 2009 and were signed on its behalf by:

  
L Mohuba  
ME Smit

Centurion, South Africa

22 July 2009

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## Directors' Report

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The directors submit their report for the year ended 29 February 2008.

### 1. Review of activities

#### Main business and operations

The group is engaged in mining and development and operates principally in South Africa.

The operating results and state of affairs of the company are fully set out in the attached group annual financial statements and do not in our opinion require any further comment.

Net loss of the group was R 7 648 764 (2007: profit R 12 712 876), after taxation of R 1 149 883 (2007: R 2 303 458).

### 2. Going concern

The group annual financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that funds will be available to finance future operations and that the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business.

### 3. Post balance sheet events

The directors are not aware of any matter or circumstance arising since the end of the financial year that will have any negative impact on the financial statements.

### 4. Directors' interest in contracts

Tanton Investments (Pty) Ltd - during the year under review the company rendered services to Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd at market related prices to the value of R 1200 000 (2007: R800 000). CRD de Bruin is a director of both Tanton Investments (Pty) Ltd and Sephaku Holdings Ltd, of which Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary.

The Makings (Pty) Ltd - during the year under review the company rendered services to Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd at market related prices to the value of R1 936 795 (2007: R771 000). ME Smit is a director of both The Makings (Pty) Ltd and Sephaku Holdings Ltd of which Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary.

### 5. Authorised and issued share capital

During the year under review the company issued a total of 17 115 385 (2007: 28 947 333) ordinary shares of R0.001 each and 5 316 184 (2007: 4 920 000) non-voting convertible preference shares of R0.001 each. Included in the 2008 year's issue were 37 663 333 ordinary shares at an issue price of R11.11 per share to acquire 41 960 951 ordinary shares in Sephaku Cement (Pty) Ltd at R10 per share.

During 2007 it was resolved that the Memorandum of Association of Sephaku Holdings Ltd ("the Company") be amended by subdividing the existing authorised share capital of R1 000 consisting of 1 000 ordinary shares of R1 each into 1 000 000 ordinary shares of R0.001 each and increasing the authorised share capital of R200 000 divided into 150 000 000 ordinary shares of R0.001 each and 50 000 000 non-voting convertible preference shares of R0.001 each.

### 6. Non-current assets

Details of major changes in the nature of the non-current assets of the company during the year were as follows:

Additions to intangible assets of the group amounted to R29 389 885 (2007: R4 326 174).

Additions to property, plant and equipment amounted to R5 174 226 (2007: R730 461).

### 7. Dividends

No dividends were declared or paid to shareholder during the year.



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### 8. Directors

The directors of the company during the year and to the date of this report are as follows:

| Name                | Changes                            |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| L Mohuba            | Chairman                           |
| NR Crafford-Lazarus | Chief Executive Officer            |
| CR de Wet de Bruin  |                                    |
| RR Matjhu           |                                    |
| ME Smit             |                                    |
| GS Mahlati          | Non-Executive Director             |
| MM Ngoasheng        | Non-Executive Director             |
| J Bennette          | Alternate director to RR Matjhu    |
| D Twist             | Alternate director to CRD de Bruin |
|                     | Appointed 01 February 2008         |
|                     | Appointed 01 February 2008         |

### 9. Secretary

The secretary of the company is Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd, appointed on 09 April 2007.

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### 10. Interest in subsidiaries

| Name of subsidiary                     | Net income (loss) after tax |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Sephaku Exploration Holdings (Pty) Ltd | (344 917)                   |
| Sephaku Gold Holdings (Pty) Ltd        | (20 838)                    |
| Sephaku PGM Holdings (Pty) Ltd         | (56 621)                    |
| Sephaku Developments (Pty) Ltd         | (9 961)                     |
| Sephaku Coal Holdings Ltd              | (123 617)                   |
| Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd           | (1 056 970)                 |
| Sephaku Tin (Pty) Ltd                  | (32 442)                    |
| Sephaku Cement (Pty) Ltd               | (1 222 979)                 |
| Sephaku Uranium (Pty) Ltd              | (55 815)                    |
| PNB Cement (Pty) Ltd                   | (214)                       |
| Crowned Cormorant 13 (Pty) Ltd         | -                           |

Details of the company's investment in subsidiaries are set out in note 7.

### 11. Auditors

PKF (Pretoria) Incorporated will continue in office in accordance with section 270(2) of the Companies Act.

### 12. Issue of revised financial statements

The previously issued financial statements for the year ended 28 February 2008, approved by the directors on 02 December 2008, have been re-issued. The reasons for the re-issue of the annual financial statements is set out in Note 36.

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## Balance Sheet

| Figures in Rand  | Notes | Group              |                   | Company            |                   |
|--|-------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
|  |       | 2008               | 2007              | 2008               | 2007              |
| <b>Assets</b>  |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| <b>Non-Current Assets</b>                              |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| Property, plant and equipment                          | 4     | 5 383 466          | 728 513           | -                  | -                 |
| Goodwill   | 5     | 748 900            | 748 900           | -                  | -                 |
| Intangible assets                                      | 6     | 32 415 296         | 4 359 838         | -                  | -                 |
| Investments in subsidiaries                            | 7     | -                  | -                 | 15 010 580         | 10 580            |
| Investments in associates                              | 8     | 28 457 900         | 280               | 26                 | 26                |
| Deposits for rehabilitation                            | 12    | 258 500            | 184 000           | -                  | -                 |
|  |       | <b>67 264 062</b>  | <b>6 021 531</b>  | <b>15 010 606</b>  | <b>10 606</b>     |
| <b>Current Assets</b>                                  |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| Loans to group companies / associates                  | 9     | 4 807 324          | 4 173 343         | 86 301 449         | 16 443 988        |
| Loans to directors, managers and employees             | 14    | 451 747            | 553 176           | 1 100              | 1 100             |
| Other financial assets                                 | 10    | 9 106 365          | 1 036 259         | 1 000              | 30 217            |
| Trade and other receivables                            | 15    | 17 221 751         | 8 935 120         | -                  | 201 425           |
| Prepayments  |       | -                  | 45 600            | -                  | -                 |
| Other loans receivable                                 | 13    | 941 200            | -                 | -                  | -                 |
| Cash and cash equivalents                              | 16    | 54 186 691         | 24 931 956        | 4 558 985          | 23 447 126        |
|  |       | <b>86 715 078</b>  | <b>39 675 454</b> | <b>90 862 534</b>  | <b>40 123 856</b> |
| <b>Total Assets</b>                                    |       | <b>153 979 140</b> | <b>45 696 985</b> | <b>105 873 140</b> | <b>40 134 462</b> |
| <b>Equity and Liabilities</b>                          |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| <b>Equity</b>  |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| <b>Equity Attributable to Equity Holders of Parent</b> |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| Share capital  | 17    | 84 652 163         | 23 854 266        | 84 635 031         | 23 854 266        |
| Reserves   |       | 1 677 572          | -                 | 1 677 572          | -                 |
| Retained income  |       | 39 965 608         | 12 486 550        | 10 315 156         | (396 817)         |
| Minority interest                                      |       | 20 733 423         | 25                | -                  | -                 |
|  |       | <b>147 028 766</b> | <b>36 340 841</b> | <b>96 827 759</b>  | <b>23 457 449</b> |
| <b>Liabilities</b>                                     |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| <b>Current Liabilities</b>                             |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
| Loans from group companies / associates                | 9     | 1 157 597          | 52                | 2 741 172          | 16 676 934        |
| Current tax payable                                    | 21    | 3 453 342          | 2 303 458         | 1 149 883          | -                 |
| Finance lease obligation                               | 19    | -                  | 95 600            | -                  | -                 |
| Trade and other payables                               | 22    | 2 328 871          | 4 927 835         | 5 154 326          | 79                |
| Provisions   | 20    | -                  | 2 008 699         | -                  | -                 |
| Loans payable  |       | 10 500             | 20 500            | -                  | -                 |
| Bank overdraft   | 16    | 64                 | -                 | -                  | -                 |
|  |       | <b>6 950 374</b>   | <b>9 356 144</b>  | <b>9 045 381</b>   | <b>16 677 013</b> |
| <b>Total Equity and Liabilities</b>                    |       | <b>153 979 140</b> | <b>45 696 985</b> | <b>105 873 140</b> | <b>40 134 462</b> |
| <b>Net asset value per share (cents)</b>               |       |                    |                   |                    |                   |
|  | 28    | 122.63             | 45.11             |                    |                   |
| <b>Tangible net asset value per share (cents)</b>      | 28    | 90.43              | 38.77             |                    |                   |



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## Income Statement

| Figures in Rand                             | Notes | Group              |                   | Company           |                  |
|---|-------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|   |       | 2008               | 2007              | 2008              | 2007             |
| Other income                                |       | 9 728 757          | 31 481 595        | 14 999 900        | -                |
| Operating expenses                          |       | (18 335 007)       | (16 972 087)      | (5 233 453)       | (676 376)        |
| <b>Operating (loss) profit</b>              | 24    | <b>(8 606 250)</b> | <b>14 509 508</b> | <b>9 766 447</b>  | <b>(676 376)</b> |
| Investment revenue                          | 25    | 2 439 604          | 516 011           | 2 095 409         | 491 206          |
| Loss from equity accounted investments      |       | (325 002)          | -                 | -                 | -                |
| Finance costs                               | 26    | (7 233)            | (9 185)           | -                 | -                |
| <b>(Loss) profit before taxation</b>        |       | <b>(6 498 881)</b> | <b>15 016 334</b> | <b>11 861 856</b> | <b>(185 170)</b> |
| Taxation                                    | 27    | (1 149 883)        | (2 303 458)       | (1 149 883)       | -                |
| <b>(Loss) profit for the year</b>           |       | <b>(7 648 764)</b> | <b>12 712 876</b> | <b>10 711 973</b> | <b>(185 170)</b> |
| <b>Attributable to:</b>                     |       |                    |                   |                   |                  |
| Equity holders of the parent                |       | (7 404 847)        | 12 712 876        | 10 711 973        | (185 170)        |
| Minority interest                           |       | (243 917)          | -                 | -                 | -                |
| Basic earnings per share (cents)            | 28    | (7.56)             | 24.89             |                   |                  |
| Diluted earnings per share (cents)          | 28    | (7.54)             | 24.89             |                   |                  |
| Headline earnings per share (cents)         | 28    | (7.47)             | (11.01)           |                   |                  |
| Diluted headline earnings per share (cents) | 28    | (7.45)             | (11.01)           |                   |                  |

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## Statement of Changes in Equity

|  | Share capital | Share premium | Total share capital | Other NDR | Retained income | Total attributable to equity holders of the group / company | Minority interest | Total equity |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|---|-------------------|--------------|
| <b>Group</b>   |               |               |                     |           |                 |   |                   |              |
| <b>Balance at 01 March 2006</b>                          | 33 907        | 4 096 593     | 4 130 500           | -         | (226 326)       | 3 904 174   | 25                | 3 904 199    |
| Changes in equity  |               |               |                     |           |                 |   |                   |              |
| Profit for the year                                      | -             | -             | -                   | -         | 12 712 876      | 12 712 876  | -                 | 12 712 876   |
| Issue of shares  | 31 734        | 11 023 417    | 11 055 151          | -         | -               | 11 055 151  | -                 | 11 055 151   |
| Issue of preference shares                               | 14 917        | 8 246 698     | 8 261 615           | -         | -               | 8 261 615   | -                 | 8 261 615    |
| Ordinary shares in the process of being issued           | 204           | 406 796       | 407 000             | -         | -               | 407 000   | -                 | 407 000      |
| <b>Total changes</b>                                     | 46 855        | 19 676 911    | 19 723 766          | -         | 12 712 876      | 32 436 642  | -                 | 32 436 642   |
| <b>Balance at 01 March 2007</b>                          | 80 762        | 23 773 504    | 23 854 266          | -         | 12 486 550      | 36 340 816  | 25                | 36 340 841   |
| Changes in equity  |               |               |                     |           |                 |   |                   |              |
| Gain on issue of shares to minorities                    | -             | -             | -                   | -         | 35 004 481      | 35 004 481  | -                 | 35 004 481   |
| Total recognised income and expenses for the year        | -             | -             | -                   | -         | 35 004 481      | 35 004 481  | -                 | 35 004 481   |
| Loss for the year  | -             | -             | -                   | -         | (7 404 847)     | (7 404 847)   | (243 917)         | (7 648 764)  |
| <b>Total recognised income and expenses for the year</b> | -             | -             | -                   | -         | 27 599 634      | 27 599 634  | (243 917)         | 27 355 717   |
| Issue of ordinary shares                                 | 17 114        | 37 836 734    | 37 853 848          | -         | -               | 37 853 848  | -                 | 37 853 848   |
| Treasury shares held by subsidiary                       | (360)         | (182 507)     | (182 867)           | -         | (120 576)       | (303 443)   | -                 | (303 443)    |
| Options granted  | -             | -             | -                   | 1 677 572 | -               | 1 677 572   | -                 | 1 677 572    |
| Issue of preference shares                               | 5 316         | 22 927 552    | 22 932 868          | -         | -               | 22 932 868  | -                 | 22 932 868   |
| Ordinary share in the process of being issued            | 194 250       | -             | 194 250             | -         | -               | 194 250   | -                 | 194 250      |
| Preference shares from previous period included in issue | (202)         | -             | (202)               | -         | -               | (202)   | -                 | (202)        |
| Business combinations                                    | -             | -             | -                   | -         | -               | -   | 20 977 315        | 20 977 315   |
| <b>Total changes</b>                                     | 216 118       | 60 581 779    | 60 797 897          | 1 677 572 | 27 479 058      | 89 954 527  | 20 733 398        | 110 687 925  |
| <b>Balance at 29 February 2008</b>                       | 296 880       | 84 355 283    | 84 652 163          | 1 677 572 | 39 965 608      | 126 295 343   | 20 733 423        | 147 028 766  |
| Notes  | 17            | 17            | 17                  |           |                 |   |                   |              |

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## Statement of Changes in Equity

|  | Share capital | Share premium | Total share capital | Other NDR | Retained income | Total attributable to equity holders of the group / company | Minority interest | Total equity |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|---|-------------------|--------------|
| <b>Company</b>   |               |               |                     |           |                 |   |                   |              |
| Balance at 01 March 2006                                 | 33 907        | 4 096 593     | 4 130 500           | -         | (211 647)       | 3 918 853   | -                 | 3 918 853    |
| Changes in equity  |               |               |                     |           |                 |   |                   |              |
| Loss for the year  | -             | -             | -                   | -         | (185 170)       | (185 170)   | -                 | (185 170)    |
| Issue of ordinary shares                                 | 31 734        | 11 023 417    | 11 055 151          | -         | -               | 11 055 151  | -                 | 11 055 151   |
| Issue of preference shares                               | 14 917        | 8 246 608     | 8 261 615           | -         | -               | 8 261 615   | -                 | 8 261 615    |
| Preference shares in the process of being issued         | 204           | 406 796       | 407 000             | -         | -               | 407 000   | -                 | 407 000      |
| Total changes  | 46 855        | 19 676 911    | 19 723 766          | -         | (185 170)       | 19 538 596  | -                 | 19 538 596   |
| Balance at 01 March 2007                                 | 80 762        | 23 773 504    | 23 854 266          | -         | (396 817)       | 23 457 449  | -                 | 23 457 449   |
| Changes in equity  |               |               |                     |           |                 |   |                   |              |
| Profit for the year                                      | -             | -             | -                   | -         | 10 711 973      | 10 711 973  | -                 | 10 711 973   |
| Issue of ordinary shares                                 | 17 115        | 37 836 734    | 37 853 849          | -         | -               | 37 853 849  | -                 | 37 853 849   |
| Options granted  | -             | -             | -                   | 1 677 572 | -               | 1 677 572   | -                 | 1 677 572    |
| Issue of preference shares                               | 5 316         | 22 927 552    | 22 932 868          | -         | -               | 22 932 868  | -                 | 22 932 868   |
| Ordinary shares in the process of being issued           | 194 250       | -             | 194 250             | -         | -               | 194 250   | -                 | 194 250      |
| Preference shares from previous period included in issue | (202)         | -             | (202)               | -         | -               | (202)   | -                 | (202)        |
| Total changes  | 216 479       | 60 764 286    | 60 980 765          | 1 677 572 | 10 711 973      | 73 370 310  | -                 | 73 370 310   |
| Balance at 29 February 2008                              | 297 241       | 84 537 790    | 84 835 031          | 1 677 572 | 10 315 156      | 96 827 759  | -                 | 96 827 759   |
| Notes  | 17            | 17            | 17                  |           |                 |   |                   |              |



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## Cash Flow Statement

| Figures in Rand  | Notes | Group               |                    | Company             |                   |
|--|-------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
|  |       | 2008                | 2007               | 2008                | 2007              |
| <b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>            |       |                     |                    |                     |                   |
| Cash generated from (used in) operations               | 29    | (19 135 392)        | (9 341 573)        | 1 799 791           | (1 037 134)       |
| Interest income  |       | 2 439 604           | 516 011            | 2 095 409           | 491 208           |
| Finance costs  |       | (7 233)             | (9 185)            | -                   | -                 |
| <b>Net cash from operating activities</b>              |       | <b>(16 703 021)</b> | <b>(8 834 747)</b> | <b>3 895 200</b>    | <b>(545 928)</b>  |
| <b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>            |       |                     |                    |                     |                   |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment              | 4     | (5 174 228)         | (730 461)          | -                   | -                 |
| Sale of property, plant and equipment                  | 4     | 63 017              | -                  | -                   | -                 |
| Purchase of other intangible assets                    | 6     | (28 241 176)        | (4 328 174)        | -                   | -                 |
| Loans (advanced to) / received from group companies    |       | 523 564             | (3 186 044)        | (83 793 223)        | (14 651 540)      |
| Loans to group companies                               |       | -                   | -                  | -                   | 16 676 985        |
| Movement in other financial assets                     |       | (8 070 106)         | 20 490 056         | 29 217              | (30 217)          |
| Purchase of deposits for rehabilitation                |       | (74 500)            | (66 000)           | -                   | -                 |
| Other loans receivable                                 |       | (941 200)           | -                  | -                   | -                 |
| Increase in investments in associates                  |       | (28 782 622)        | (52)               | (100)               | (10 380)          |
| <b>Net cash from investing activities</b>              |       | <b>(70 697 249)</b> | <b>12 179 325</b>  | <b>(83 764 106)</b> | <b>1 984 848</b>  |
| <b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>            |       |                     |                    |                     |                   |
| Proceeds on share issue                                | 17    | 37 853 848          | 11 462 151         | 37 853 849          | 11 462 151        |
| Preference share issue                                 | 17    | 22 932 868          | 8 261 595          | 22 932 868          | 8 271 795         |
| Movement in other loans payable                        |       | (10 000)            | -                  | -                   | -                 |
| Movement in loans to directors, managers and employees |       | 101 422             | (552 026)          | -                   | -                 |
| Finance lease payments                                 |       | (95 600)            | 65 843             | -                   | -                 |
| Cash raised from / (paid to) minority shareholders     |       | 55 678 354          | -                  | -                   | -                 |
| Cash received for shares not yet issued                |       | 194 048             | -                  | 194 048             | -                 |
| <b>Net cash from financing activities</b>              |       | <b>116 654 940</b>  | <b>19 237 563</b>  | <b>60 980 765</b>   | <b>19 733 946</b> |
| <b>Total cash movement for the year</b>                |       | <b>29 254 670</b>   | <b>22 582 141</b>  | <b>(18 888 141)</b> | <b>21 172 866</b> |
| Cash at the beginning of the year                      |       | 24 931 956          | 2 349 815          | 23 447 126          | 2 274 260         |
| <b>Total cash at end of the year</b>                   | 16    | <b>54 186 626</b>   | <b>24 931 956</b>  | <b>4 558 985</b>    | <b>23 447 126</b> |

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### 1. Presentation of Group Annual Financial Statements

The group annual financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, and the South African Companies Act, 1973. The group annual financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, and incorporate the principal accounting policies set out below.

These accounting policies are consistent with the previous period.

#### 1.1 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

In preparing the group annual financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts represented in the group annual financial statements and related disclosures. Use of available information and the application of judgement is inherent in the formation of estimates. Actual results in the future could differ from these estimates which may be material to the group annual financial statements. Significant judgements include:

##### Critical accounting estimates and assumptions

###### Impairment testing

The group reviews and tests the carrying value of assets when events or changes in circumstances suggest that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Assets are grouped at the lowest level for which identifiable cash flows are largely independent of cash flows of other assets and liabilities. If there are indications that impairment may have occurred, estimates are prepared of expected future cash flows for each group of assets. Expected future cash flows used to determine the value in use of goodwill and tangible assets are inherently uncertain and could materially change over time.

###### Taxation

Judgement is required in determining the provision for income taxes due to the complexity of legislation. There are many transactions and calculations for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain during the ordinary course of business. The group recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on estimates of whether additional taxes will be due. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recorded, such differences will impact the income tax and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

The group recognises the net future tax benefit related to deferred income tax assets to the extent that it is probable that the deductible temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future. Assessing the recoverability of deferred income tax assets requires the group to make significant estimates related to expectations of future taxable income. Estimates of future taxable income are based on forecast cash flows from operations and the application of existing tax laws in each jurisdiction. To the extent that future cash flows and taxable income differ significantly from estimates, the ability of the group to realise the net deferred tax assets recorded at the balance sheet date could be impacted.

##### Critical judgements in applying the entity's accounting policies

###### Exploration expenses capitalised

Exploration and evaluation expenses are those expenses incurred in connection with acquisition of rights to explore, investigate, examine and evaluate an area of mineralization including related overhead costs. The directors exercise judgment to determine if the costs associated with a specific project must be capitalised against the specific project or written off.

Exploration assets are reviewed at balance sheet date, and where the directors consider there to be indicators of impairment, impairment tests will be performed on the capitalised costs and any impairments will be recognised through the income statement.

###### Site restoration cost

Provision for future site restoration costs are based on the estimate made of the expenditure needed to settle the present obligation arising. When site restoration occurs on an on-going basis during prospecting, the cost of this restoration is included in the prospecting expenses and no provision for future restoration costs are required.



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### 1.2 Property, plant and equipment

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised as an asset when:

- it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the company; and
- the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

Costs include costs incurred initially to acquire or construct an item of property, plant and equipment and costs incurred subsequently to add to, replace part of, or service it. If a replacement cost is recognised in the carrying amount of an item of property, plant and equipment, the carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised.

The initial estimate of the costs of dismantling and removing the item and restoring the site on which it is located is also included in the cost of property, plant and equipment.

Property, plant and equipment is carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses.

| Item                   | Average useful life |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| Furniture and fixtures | 6                   |
| Motor vehicles         | 5                   |
| Office equipment       | 6                   |
| IT equipment           | 3                   |

The residual value and the useful life of each asset are reviewed at each financial period-end.

Each part of an item of property, plant and equipment with a cost that is significant in relation to the total cost of the item shall be depreciated separately.

The depreciation charge for each period is recognised in profit or loss unless it is included in the carrying amount of another asset.

The gain or loss arising from the derecognition of an item of property, plant and equipment is included in profit or loss when the item is derecognised. The gain or loss arising from the derecognition of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds, if any, and the carrying amount of the item.

### 1.3 Goodwill

Goodwill is initially measured at cost, being the excess of the business combination over the company's interest of the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities.

Subsequently goodwill is carried at cost less any accumulated impairment.

The excess of the company's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of the business combination is immediately recognised in profit or loss.

Internally generated goodwill is not recognised as an asset.

### 1.4 Intangible assets

Intangible assets are initially recognised at cost.

Intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any impairment losses.

Exploration assets are carried at cost less any impairment losses. All costs, including administration and other general overhead costs directly associated with the specific project are capitalised. The directors evaluate each project at each period end to determine if the carrying value should be written off. In determining whether expenditure meet the criteria to be capitalised, the directors use information from several sources, depending on the level of exploration. Purchased exploration and evaluation assets are recognised at the cost of acquisition or at the fair value if purchased as part of a business combination. Exploration assets are not amortised as it will only be available for use once transferred to the development cost of the project.

When the technical and commercial feasibility of a project has been established, the relevant exploration assets are transferred to development costs. No further exploration costs for the project will be capitalised. The costs transferred to development costs will be amortised over the life of the project based on the expected flow of economic resources associated with the project.

Purchased software is amortised over the useful life of the software. Management reviews the useful life and carrying value annually.

Amortisation is provided to write down the intangible assets, on a straight line basis, to their residual values as follows:

| Item                      | Useful life   |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Computer software         | 2 years       |
| Deferred exploration cost | Not amortised |



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### 1.5 Investments in subsidiaries

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The group group annual financial statements include those of the holding company and its subsidiaries. The results of the subsidiaries are included from the effective date of acquisition.

On acquisition the group recognises the subsidiary's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at fair value, except for assets classified as held-for-sale, which are recognised at fair value less costs to sell.

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The cost of an investment in a subsidiary is the aggregate of:

- the fair value, at the date of exchange, of assets given, liabilities incurred or assumed, and equity instruments issued by the company; plus
- any costs directly attributable to the purchase of the subsidiary.

An adjustment to the cost of a business combination contingent on future events is included in the cost of the combination if the adjustment is probable and can be measured reliably.

### 1.6 Investments in associates

#### Group annual financial statements

An investment in an associate is accounted for using the equity method, except when the asset is classified as held-for-sale. Under the equity method, the investment is initially recognised at cost and the carrying amount is increased or decreased to recognise the group's share of the profits or losses of the investee after acquisition date. The use of the equity method is discontinued from the date the group ceases to have significant influence over an associate.

Any impairment losses are deducted from the carrying amount of the investment in associate.

Distributions received from the associate reduce the carrying amount of the investment.

Profits and losses resulting from transactions with associates are recognised only to the extent of unrelated investors' interests in the associate.

The excess of the group's interest of the net fair value of an associate's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost is accounted for as goodwill, and is included in the carrying amount of the associate.

The excess of the group's share of the net fair value of an associate's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost is excluded from the carrying amount of the investment and is instead included as income in the period in which the investment is acquired.

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An investment in an associate is carried at fair value and classified as fair value through profit or loss.

### 1.7 Financial Instruments

#### Initial recognition

The group classifies financial instruments, or their component parts, on initial recognition as a financial asset, a financial liability or an equity instrument in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangement.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised on the group's balance sheet when the group becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

#### Fair value determination

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid prices. If the market for a financial asset is not active (and for unlisted securities), the group establishes fair value by using valuation techniques. These include the use of recent arm's length transactions, reference to other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis, and option pricing models making maximum use of market inputs and relying as little as possible on entity-specific inputs.

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### 1.7 Financial instruments (continued)

#### Loans to (from) group companies

These include loans to and from holding companies, fellow subsidiaries, subsidiaries and associates and are recognised initially at fair value plus direct transaction costs.

Subsequently these loans are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less any impairment loss recognised to reflect irrecoverable amounts. Where the loans carry no interest and no fixed terms of repayment have been set, the loans are classified as current assets and are carried at fair value.

On loans receivable an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss when there is objective evidence that it is impaired. The impairment is measured as the difference between the investment's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition.

Impairment losses are reversed in subsequent periods when an increase in the investment's recoverable amount can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, subject to the restriction that the carrying amount of the investment at the date the impairment is reversed shall not exceed what the amortised cost would have been had the impairment not been recognised.

#### Loans to shareholders, directors, managers and employees

These financial assets are initially recognised at fair value plus direct transaction costs.

Subsequently these loans are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less any impairment loss recognised to reflect irrecoverable amounts.

On loans receivable an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss when there is objective evidence that it is impaired. The impairment is measured as the difference between the investment's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition.

Impairment losses are reversed in subsequent periods when an increase in the investment's recoverable amount can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, subject to the restriction that the carrying amount of the investment at the date the impairment is reversed shall not exceed what the amortised cost would have been had the impairment not been recognised.

#### Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables are measured at initial recognition at fair value, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Appropriate allowances for estimated irrecoverable amounts are recognised in profit or loss when there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default or delinquency in payments (more than 30 days overdue) are considered indicators that the trade receivable is impaired. The allowance recognised is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition.

The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account, and the amount of the loss is recognised in the income statement within operating expenses. When a trade receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account for trade receivables. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against operating expenses in the income statement.

Trade and other receivables are classified as loans and receivables.

#### Trade and other payables

Trade payables are initially measured at fair value, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and demand deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. These are initially and subsequently recorded at fair value.



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### 1.7 Financial instruments (continued)

#### Bank overdraft and borrowings

Bank overdrafts and borrowings are initially measured at fair value, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method. Any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the settlement or redemption of borrowings is recognised over the term of the borrowings in accordance with the group's accounting policy for borrowing costs.

#### Available for sale financial assets

These financial assets are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified elsewhere.

Investments are recognised and derecognised on a trade date basis where the purchase or sale of an investment is under a contract whose terms require delivery of the investment within the timeframe established by the market concerned.

These investments are measured initially and subsequently at fair value. Gains and losses arising from changes in fair value are recognised directly in equity until the security is disposed of or is determined to be impaired.

The group assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. In the case of equity securities classified as available for sale, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the security below its cost is considered as an indicator that the securities are impaired. If any such evidence exists for available-for-sale financial assets, the cumulative loss – measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit or loss – is removed from equity and recognised in the income statement. Impairment losses recognised in the income statement on equity instruments are not reversed through the income statement.

Impairment losses recognised in profit or loss for equity investments classified as available-for-sale are not subsequently reversed through profit or loss. Impairment losses recognised in profit or loss for debt instruments classified as available-for-sale are subsequently reversed if an increase in the fair value of the instrument can be objectively related to an event occurring after the recognition of the impairment loss.

Changes in the fair value of monetary securities denominated in a foreign currency and classified as available-for-sale are analysed between translation differences resulting from changes in amortised cost of the security and other changes in the carrying amount of the security. The translation differences on monetary securities are recognised in profit or loss, while translation differences on non-monetary securities are recognised in equity. Changes in the fair value of monetary and nonmonetary securities classified as available-for-sale are recognised in equity.

Interest on available-for-sale securities calculated using the effective interest method is recognised in the income statement as part of 'other income'. Dividends on available-for-sale equity instruments are recognised in the income statement as part of 'other income' when the group's right to receive payments is established.

Equity investments for which a fair value is not determinable are held at cost. Impairments on such investments are not reversed.

### 1.8 Tax

#### Current tax assets and liabilities

Current tax for current and prior periods is, to the extent unpaid, recognised as a liability. If the amount already paid in respect of current and prior periods exceeds the amount due for those periods, the excess is recognised as an asset.

Current tax liabilities (assets) for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be paid to (recovered from) the tax authorities, using the tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

#### Deferred tax assets and liabilities

A deferred tax liability is recognised for all taxable temporary differences, except to the extent that the deferred tax liability arises from:

- the initial recognition of goodwill; or
- the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction which:
  - is not a business combination; and
  - at the time of the transaction, affects neither accounting profit nor taxable profit (tax loss).

A deferred tax liability is recognised for all taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, branches and associates, and interests in joint ventures, except to the extent that both of the following conditions are satisfied:

- the parent, investor or venturer is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference; and
- it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.



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### 1.8 Tax (continued)

A deferred tax asset is recognised for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can be utilised, unless the deferred tax asset arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that:

- is not a business combination; and
- at the time of the transaction, affects neither accounting profit nor taxable profit (tax loss).

A deferred tax asset is recognised for all deductible temporary differences arising from investments in subsidiaries, branches and associates, and interests in joint ventures, to the extent that it is probable that:

- the temporary difference will reverse in the foreseeable future; and
- taxable profit will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilised.

A deferred tax asset is recognised for the carry forward of unused tax losses and unused STC credits to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the unused tax losses and unused STC credits can be utilised.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

#### Tax expenses

Current and deferred taxes are recognised as income or an expense and included in profit or loss for the period, except to the extent that the tax arises from:

- a transaction or event which is recognised, in the same or a different period, directly in equity, or
- a business combination.

Current tax and deferred taxes are charged or credited directly to equity if the tax relates to items that are credited or charged, in the same or a different period, directly to equity.

### 1.9 Impairment of assets

The group assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, the group estimates the recoverable amount of the asset.

Irrespective of whether there is any indication of impairment, the group also:

- tests intangible assets with an indefinite useful life or intangible assets not yet available for use for impairment annually by comparing its carrying amount with its recoverable amount. This impairment test is performed during the annual period and at the same time every period.
- tests goodwill acquired in a business combination for impairment annually.

If there is any indication that an asset may be impaired, the recoverable amount is estimated for the individual asset. If it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of the individual asset, the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs is determined.

The recoverable amount of an asset or a cash-generating unit is the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use.

If the recoverable amount of an asset is less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount. That reduction is an impairment loss.

An impairment loss of assets carried at cost less any accumulated depreciation or amortisation is recognised immediately in profit or loss. Any impairment loss of a revalued asset is treated as a revaluation decrease.

Goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the cash-generating units, or groups of cash-generating units, that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination.

An impairment loss is recognised for cash-generating units if the recoverable amount of the unit is less than the carrying amount of the units. The impairment loss is allocated to reduce the carrying amount of the assets of the unit in the following order:

- first, to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the cash-generating unit and
- then, to the other assets of the unit, pro rata on the basis of the carrying amount of each asset in the unit.

An entity assesses at each reporting date whether there is any indication that an impairment loss recognised in prior periods for assets other than goodwill may no longer exist or may have decreased. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amounts of those assets are estimated.

The increased carrying amount of an asset other than goodwill attributable to a reversal of an impairment loss does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior periods.

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### 1.9 Impairment of assets (continued)

A reversal of an impairment loss of assets carried at cost less accumulated depreciation or amortisation other than goodwill is recognised immediately in profit or loss. Any reversal of an impairment loss of a revalued asset is treated as a revaluation increase.

### 1.10 Share capital and equity

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities.

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

If the group reacquires its own equity instruments, the consideration paid, including any directly attributable incremental costs (net of income taxes) on those instruments are deducted from equity until the shares are cancelled or reissued. No gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of the group's own equity instruments. Consideration paid or received shall be recognised directly in equity.

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

### 1.11 Share based payments

Goods or services received or acquired in a share-based payment transaction are recognised when the goods or as the services are received. A corresponding increase in equity is recognised if the goods or services were received in an equity-settled share-based payment transaction or a liability if the goods or services were acquired in a cash-settled share-based payment transaction.

When the goods or services received or acquired in a share-based payment transaction do not qualify for recognition as assets, they are recognised as expenses.

For equity-settled share-based payment transactions, the goods or services received are measured, and the corresponding increase in equity, directly, at the fair value of the goods or services received, unless that fair value cannot be estimated reliably.

If the fair value of the goods or services received cannot be estimated reliably, their value and the corresponding increase in equity, indirectly, are measured by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments granted.

For cash-settled share-based payment transactions, the goods or services acquired and the liability incurred are measured at the fair value of the liability. Until the liability is settled, the fair value of the liability is re-measured at each reporting date and at the date of settlement, with any changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss for the period.

If the share based payments granted do not vest until the counterparty completes a specified period of service, group accounts for those services as they are rendered by the counterparty during the vesting period, (or on a straight line basis over the vesting period).

If the share based payments vest immediately the services received are recognised in full.

For share-based payment transactions in which the terms of the arrangement provide either the entity or the counterparty with the choice of whether the entity settles the transaction in cash (or other assets) or by issuing equity instruments, the components of that transaction are recorded, as a cash-settled share-based payment transaction if, and to the extent that, a liability to settle in cash or other assets has been incurred, or as an equity-settled share-based payment transaction if, and to the extent that, no such liability has been incurred.

### 1.12 Employee benefits

#### Short-term employee benefits

The cost of short-term employee benefits, (those payable within 12 months after the service is rendered, such as paid vacation leave and sick leave, bonuses, and non-monetary benefits such as medical care), are recognised in the period in which the service is rendered and are not discounted.

The expected cost of compensated absences is recognised as an expense as the employees render services that increase their entitlement or, in the case of non-accumulating absences, when the absence occurs.

The expected cost of profit sharing and bonus payments is recognised as an expense when there is a legal or constructive obligation to make such payments as a result of past performance.



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### 1.13 Provisions and contingencies

Provisions are recognised when:

- the group has a present obligation as a result of a past event;
- it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- a reliable estimate can be made of the obligation.

The amount of a provision is the present value of the expenditure expected to be required to settle the obligation.

Where some or all of the expenditure required to settle a provision is expected to be reimbursed by another party, the reimbursement shall be recognised when, and only when, it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received if the entity settles the obligation. The reimbursement shall be treated as a separate asset. The amount recognised for the reimbursement shall not exceed the amount of the provision.

Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

If an entity has a contract that is onerous, the present obligation under the contract shall be recognised and measured as a provision.

A constructive obligation to restructure arises only when an entity:

- has a detailed formal plan for the restructuring, identifying at least:
  - the business or part of a business concerned;
  - the principal locations affected;
  - the location, function, and approximate number of employees who will be compensated for terminating their services;
  - the expenditures that will be undertaken; and
  - when the plan will be implemented; and
- has raised a valid expectation in those affected that it will carry out the restructuring by starting to implement that plan or announcing its main features to those affected by it.

After their initial recognition contingent liabilities recognised in business combinations that are recognised separately are subsequently measured at the higher of:

- the amount that would be recognised as a provision; and
- the amount initially recognised less cumulative amortisation.

Contingent assets and contingent liabilities are not recognised. Contingencies are disclosed in note .

### 1.14 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost of that asset until such time as the asset is ready for its intended use. The amount of borrowing costs eligible for capitalisation is determined as follows:

- Actual borrowing costs on funds specifically borrowed for the purpose of obtaining a qualifying asset less any temporary investment of those borrowings.
- Weighted average of the borrowing costs applicable to the entity on funds generally borrowed for the purpose of obtaining a qualifying asset. The borrowing costs capitalised do not exceed the total borrowing costs incurred.

The capitalisation of borrowing costs commences when:

- expenditures for the asset have occurred;
- borrowing costs have been incurred; and
- activities that are necessary to prepare the asset for its intended use or sale are in progress.

Capitalisation is suspended during extended periods in which active development is interrupted.

Capitalisation ceases when substantially all the activities necessary to prepare the qualifying asset for its intended use or sale are complete.

All other borrowing costs are recognised as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

### 1.15 Translation of foreign currencies

#### Foreign currency transactions

A foreign currency transaction is recorded, on initial recognition in Rands, by applying to the foreign currency amount the spot exchange rate between the functional currency and the foreign currency at the date of the transaction.



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### 1.15 Translation of foreign currencies (continued)

At each balance sheet date:

- foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate;
- non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction; and
- non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items or on translating monetary items at rates different from those at which they were translated on initial recognition during the period or in previous group annual financial statements are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they arise.

When a gain or loss on a non-monetary item is recognised directly in equity, any exchange component of that gain or loss is recognised directly in equity. When a gain or loss on a non-monetary item is recognised in profit or loss, any exchange component of that gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss.

Cash flows arising from transactions in a foreign currency are recorded in Rands, by applying to the foreign currency amount the exchange rate between the Rand and the foreign currency at the date of the cash flow.

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### 2. Changes in accounting policy

The group annual financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards on a basis consistent with the prior year except for the adoption of the following new or revised standards.

Standards, interpretations and amendments to published standards that are effective for the first-time for the February 2008 year-end and were adopted by the group:

- IAS 1 (Amendment) - Amendment to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements - Capital Disclosures (effective from 1 January 2007). The amendments to IAS 1 introduces disclosures about the level of an entity's capital and how it manages capital.
- IFRS 7 and consequential amendments to IFRS 4 Implementation Guide. Financial Instruments: Disclosures and IFRS 4: Revised Implementation Guidance (effective from 1 January 2007). The standard requires disclosure of the significance of financial instruments for an entity's financial position and performance. Disclosure of the qualitative and quantitative information about exposure to risk arising from financial instruments, including specified minimum disclosures about credit risk, liquidity risk and market risk. As this is a disclosure standard, the adoption of this will have no material effect on the group's financial statements.
- IFRIC 10, Interim Financial reporting and Impairment (effective from 1 November 2006). The interpretation statement provides clarification on impairment recognised in interim reporting periods. This interpretation statement prohibits the reversal of an impairment loss recognised in a previous interim period in relation to goodwill, investments in equity instruments of financial assets carried at cost. The adoption of this interpretation had no material effect on the group's financial statements.
- IFRIC 11, IFRS 2 - Group and Treasury Share Transactions (effective from 1 March 2007). This interpretation addresses how to apply IFRS 2 - Share-based payments to share-based payments arrangements involving an entity's own equity instruments of another equity within the same group. The adoption of this interpretation has no material effect on the group's financial statement.

Standards not relevant:

- Amendments to IAS19 (1 January 2006) - Amendments to IAS19 Employee Benefits - Actuarial Gains and Losses, Group Plans and Disclosures.
- Amendments to IAS21 (1 January 2006) - Amendment to IAS21 the Effect of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates - Net Investments in a Foreign Operation.
- IFRIC4, Determining Whether an Arrangement Contains a Lease (effective from 1 January 2006).
- IFRIC6, Liabilities arising from Participating in a Specific Market - Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (effective from December 2005).
- IFRIC7, Applying the Restatement Approach under IAS29 Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies (effective from 1 May 2006).
- IFRIC8, Scope of IFRS2 (effective from 1 May 2006).
- IFRIC9, Re-assessment of Embedded Derivatives (effective from 1 June 2006).

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### 3. New standards and interpretations

#### 3.1 Standards and interpretations effective and adopted in the current year

In the current year, the group has adopted the following standards and interpretations that are effective for the current financial year and that are relevant to its operations:

#### 3.2 Standards and interpretations not yet effective or relevant

The following standards and interpretations have been published and are mandatory for the group's accounting periods beginning on or after 01 March 2008 or later periods but are not relevant to its operations:

##### **IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements: Capital Disclosures**

The amendment introduces new disclosure requirements relating to capital management, in terms of providing information enabling users to evaluate the group's objectives, policies and processes for managing capital.

The effective date of the amendment is for years beginning on or after 01 January 2007.

The group has adopted the amendment for the first time in the 2008 group annual financial statements.

The impact of the amendment is set out in note 2 Changes in Accounting Policy.

##### **IFRS 8 Operating segments**

IFRS 8 (AC 145) replaces IAS 14 (AC 115) Segment Reporting. The new standard requires a 'management approach', under which segment information is presented on the same basis as that used for internal reporting purposes.

The effective date of the standard is for years beginning on or after 01 January 2009.

The group expects to adopt the standard for the first time in the 2010 group annual financial statements.

It is unlikely that the standard will have a material impact on the company's group annual financial statements.



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### 4. Property, plant and equipment

| Group                  | 2008             |                          |                  | 2007             |                          |                |
|------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
|                        | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated depreciation | Carrying value   | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated depreciation | Carrying value |
| Land                   | 2 342 570        | -                        | 2 342 570        | -                | -                        | -              |
| Furniture and fixtures | 662 103          | (90 252)                 | 571 851          | 203 651          | (23 807)                 | 179 844        |
| Motor vehicles         | 1 712 521        | (213 598)                | 1 498 923        | 209 755          | (26 513)                 | 183 242        |
| Office equipment       | 373 519          | (55 934)                 | 317 585          | 135 469          | (16 019)                 | 119 450        |
| IT equipment           | 783 126          | (197 478)                | 585 648          | 227 164          | (40 473)                 | 186 691        |
| Field equipment        | 85 964           | (19 075)                 | 66 889           | 62 630           | (3 344)                  | 59 286         |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>5 959 803</b> | <b>(576 337)</b>         | <b>5 383 466</b> | <b>838 669</b>   | <b>(110 156)</b>         | <b>728 513</b> |

#### Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - Group - 2008

|                        | Opening Balance | Additions        | Disposals       | Depreciation     | Total            |
|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Land                   | -               | 2 342 570        | -               | -                | 2 342 570        |
| Furniture and fixtures | 179 844         | 458 452          | -               | (66 445)         | 571 851          |
| Motor vehicles         | 183 242         | 1 504 276        | -               | (188 595)        | 1 498 923        |
| Office equipment       | 119 450         | 287 082          | (50 542)        | (38 405)         | 317 585          |
| IT equipment           | 186 691         | 558 512          | (2 550)         | (157 005)        | 585 648          |
| Field equipment        | 59 286          | 23 334           | -               | (15 731)         | 66 889           |
|                        | <b>728 513</b>  | <b>5 174 226</b> | <b>(53 092)</b> | <b>(466 181)</b> | <b>5 383 466</b> |

#### Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - Group - 2007

|                        | Opening Balance | Additions      | Depreciation     | Total          |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| Furniture and fixtures | 59 080          | 142 061        | (21 277)         | 179 844        |
| Motor vehicles         | -               | 209 755        | (26 513)         | 183 242        |
| Office equipment       | 35 482          | 98 477         | (14 509)         | 119 450        |
| IT equipment           | 8 955           | 217 538        | (39 802)         | 186 691        |
| Field equipment        | -               | 62 630         | (3 344)          | 59 286         |
|                        | <b>103 497</b>  | <b>730 461</b> | <b>(105 445)</b> | <b>728 513</b> |

#### Details of land

Remaining portion of portion 2 of the farm Bethlehem 75IO and portion 10 (portion of portion 8) of the farm Klein Westerford 78IO (334,7727 ha) and remaining portion of portion 8 of the farm Klein Westerford 78IO (321,7982 ha).

The group entered into an agreement on 19 September 2007 to purchase the above mentioned properties for an amount of R2,420,000. As security for the purchase price the group provided a bank guarantee. The amount became payable on registration date 1 March 2008.

|                              |                |          |          |          |
|------------------------------|----------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Purchase price: 1 March 2008 | 200 000        | -        | -        | -        |
| - Capitalised expenditure    | 26 645         | -        | -        | -        |
|                              | <b>226 645</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>-</b> |

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### 4. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

#### Remaining portion of the farm Klein Westerford 7810 (328,9083 ha)

An agreement was entered into between Point Blank Trading 132 (Pty) Ltd and Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd for the purchase of above mentioned property. Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd provided a bank guarantee on 25 November 2007 for the purchase amount. The registration of the property took place on 12 February 2008, and on this date the full amount became payable.

- Purchase price: 12 February 2008
- Capitalised expenditure

|                  |          |          |          |
|------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2 100 000        | -        | -        | -        |
| 15 925           | -        | -        | -        |
| <b>2 115 925</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>-</b> |

### 5. Goodwill

| Group                                   | 2008             |                          |                | 2007             |                          |                |
|---|------------------|--------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
|   | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated amortisation | Carrying value | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated amortisation | Carrying value |
| Goodwill on acquisition of subsidiaries | 748 900          | -                        | 748 900        | 748 900          | -                        | 748 900        |

#### Reconciliation of goodwill - Group - 2008

|          | Opening Balance | Total   |
|----------|-----------------|---------|
| Goodwill | 748 900         | 748 900 |

#### Reconciliation of goodwill - Group - 2007

|          | Opening Balance | Additions | Total   |
|----------|-----------------|-----------|---------|
| Goodwill | -               | 748 900   | 748 900 |

### 6. Intangible assets

| Group                    | 2008              |                          |                   | 2007             |                          |                  |
|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
|                          | Cost / Valuation  | Accumulated amortisation | Carrying value    | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated amortisation | Carrying value   |
| Computer software, other | 580 621           | (110 559)                | 470 062           | 113 262          | (18 426)                 | 94 836           |
| Exploration assets       | 31 945 234        | -                        | 31 945 234        | 4 265 002        | -                        | 4 265 002        |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>32 525 855</b> | <b>(110 559)</b>         | <b>32 415 296</b> | <b>4 378 264</b> | <b>(18 426)</b>          | <b>4 359 838</b> |

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### 6. Intangible assets (continued)

#### Reconciliation of intangible assets - Group - 2008

|                          | Opening Balance  | Additions         | Impaired        | Amortisation    | Total             |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Computer software, other | 94 836           | 467 359           | -               | (92 133)        | 470 062           |
| Exploration assets       | 4 265 002        | 27 773 817        | (93 585)        | -               | 31 945 234        |
|                          | <b>4 359 838</b> | <b>28 241 176</b> | <b>(93 585)</b> | <b>(92 133)</b> | <b>32 415 296</b> |

#### Summary of deferred exploration costs:

| Group 2008 | Opening balance | Additions  | Closing balance |
|------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|
| Limestone  | 2 611 683       | 20 456 214 | 23 067 897      |
| Tin        | 250 479         | 3 185 525  | 3 436 004       |
| Coal       | 88 894          | 1 570 233  | 1 659 127       |
| Fluorspar  | 1 002 571       | 2 592 489  | 3 595 060       |
| Other      | 311 375         | (124 230)  | 187 145         |

#### Reconciliation of intangible assets - Group - 2007

|                          | Opening Balance | Additions        | Amortisation    | Total            |
|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Computer software, other | -               | 113 262          | (18 426)        | 94 836           |
| Exploration assets       | 50 090          | 4 214 912        | -               | 4 265 002        |
|                          | <b>50 090</b>   | <b>4 328 174</b> | <b>(18 426)</b> | <b>4 359 838</b> |

#### Summary of deferred exploration costs:

| Group 2007 | Opening balance | Additions | Closing balance |
|------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Limestone  | 33 928          | 2 577 755 | 2 611 683       |
| Tin        | -               | 250 479   | 250 479         |
| Coal       | -               | 88 894    | 88 894          |
| Fluorspar  | 5 162           | 997 409   | 1 002 571       |
| Other      | 11 000          | 300 375   | 311 375         |

#### Purchasing of prospecting rights - Group

On 18 August 2005 Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd ("Sephaku") entered into a Notarial Prospecting Contract with Anglo Operations Ltd ("AOL") in terms of which, AOL, as holder of the Old Order Right granted to Sephaku the opportunity to prospect and search for limestone in, on, under and in respect of the farms: Good Hope 96JO, Lucydale 105JO, Stiglingspan 73IO and Klein Westerford 78IO. During the 2008 fiscal year Sephaku exercised its rights and paid an amount of R3,000,000 for the purchase of the Prospecting Rights when the Prospecting Right was notorially registered in the name of Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd.



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### 7. Investments in subsidiaries

| Name of company                        | Held by              | % holding<br>2008 | % holding<br>2007 | Carrying<br>amount 2008 | Carrying<br>amount 2007 |
|--|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Sephaku Exploration Holdings (Pty) Ltd | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 10 000                  | 10 000                  |
| Sephaku Gold Holdings (Pty) Ltd        | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 100                     | 100                     |
| Sephaku PGM Holdings (Pty) Ltd         | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 100                     | 100                     |
| Sephaku Developments (Pty) Ltd         | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | -                       | 100                     |
| Sephaku Coal Holdings (Pty) Ltd        | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 70                      | 70                      |
| Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd           | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 10                      | 10                      |
| Sephaku Tin (Pty) Ltd                  | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 100                     | 100                     |
| Sephaku Cement (Pty) Ltd               | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | 100.00 %          | 15 000 100              | 100                     |
| Sephaku Uranium (Pty) Ltd              | Sephaku Holdings Ltd | 100.00 %          | - %               | 100                     | -                       |
|  |                      |                   |                   | <b>15 010 580</b>       | <b>10 580</b>           |

The carrying amounts of subsidiaries are shown net of impairment losses.  
All the subsidiaries are registered and operate within South Africa.  
Refer to note 9 for information regarding loans to subsidiaries.

On 31 August 2007 Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd became a wholly owned subsidiary of Sephaku Cement Ltd. The investment in Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd was acquired from Sephaku Holdings Ltd by the issue of an additional 100,000,000 ordinary shares at R0.15 each in Sephaku Cement Ltd. This did not result in a change in control as Sephaku Development (Pty) Ltd remained a subsidiary within the group of companies.

During the year under review Sephaku Exploration Holdings (Pty) Ltd sold its interest of 75% in Crowned Cormorant Investments 16 (Pty) Ltd to Boynton Investments (Pty) Ltd for an amount of R10,000.

### 8. Investments in associates

| Name of company                          | % holding<br>2008 | % holding<br>2007 | Carrying<br>amount 2008 | Carrying<br>amount 2007 | Fair value 2008   | Fair value 2007 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Taung Gold (Pty) Ltd                     | 30.00 %           | 26.00 %           | 19 501 236              | 26                      | 19 501 236        | 26              |
| Sephaku Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd       | 30.00 %           | 26.00 %           | 8 956 388               | 26                      | 8 956 388         | 26              |
| Defacto Investments 275 (Pty) Ltd        | 26.00 %           | 26.00 %           | 176                     | 176                     | 176               | 176             |
| Private Preview Investments 39 (Pty) Ltd | 26.00 %           | 26.00 %           | 26                      | 26                      | 26                | 26              |
| African Spirit Trading 364 (Pty) Ltd     | 48.00 %           | - %               | 48                      | -                       | 48                | -               |
| African Nickel Ltd                       | 26.00 %           | 26.00 %           | 26                      | 26                      | 26                | 26              |
|  |                   |                   | <b>28 457 900</b>       | <b>280</b>              | <b>28 457 900</b> | <b>280</b>      |

The carrying amounts of Associates are shown net of impairment losses.  
All the associates are unlisted.

#### Fair value

The fair values on investments were determined annually at balance sheet date using the cost basis.

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### 8. Investments in associates (continued)

#### Summary of groups interest in associate

##### Taung Gold Holdings (Pty) Ltd and its Subsidiaries

|                   |              |             |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Total assets      | 22 390 556   | 4 877 942   |
| Total liabilities | (24 847 193) | (6 863 056) |
| Profit or (loss)  | (1 052 039)  | (1 317 443) |

##### Private Preview Investments 39 (Pty) Ltd

|                   |           |           |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Total assets      | 870 537   | 870 537   |
| Total liabilities | (876 137) | (876 137) |
| Profit or loss    | (5 600)   | (5 600)   |

##### Defacto Investment (Pty) Ltd

|                   |           |   |
|-------------------|-----------|---|
| Total assets      | 609 992   | - |
| Total liabilities | (911 205) | - |
| Profit or loss    | (95 996)  | - |

##### Sephaku Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd

|                   |             |           |
|-------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Total assets      | 936 784     | 466 546   |
| Total liabilities | (1 083 553) | (469 176) |
| Profit or loss    | (154 039)   | (2 730)   |

##### African Nickel Holdings (Pty) Ltd and its Subsidiaries

|                   |             |           |
|-------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Total assets      | 1 608 611   | 396 880   |
| Total liabilities | (2 649 266) | (636 557) |
| Profit or loss    | (178 891)   | (880 708) |

#### Unrecognised share of losses of associates

The group has discontinued recognising its share of the losses of associates, as the investments are held at levels which are much lower than the proportionate value of net assets of these companies based on fair value. The group has no obligation for any losses of the associates. The associates do not fair value their exploration assets and therefore any change in value is not reflected in the income statement. Should these exploration assets have been fair valued, such fair value adjustments would have negated any losses in these companies.

### 9. Loans to (from) group companies

#### Subsidiaries

|  |   |   |             |              |
|--|---|---|-------------|--------------|
| Sephaku Developments (Pty) Ltd         | - | - | (2 701 472) | (16 676 934) |
| Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd           | - | - | 51 630 589  | 12 905 532   |
| Sephaku Exploration Holdings (Pty) Ltd | - | - | 943 753     | 943 303      |
| Sephaku PGM Holdings (Pty) Ltd         | - | - | 11 915      | 11 417       |
| Sephaku Gold Holdings (Pty) Ltd        | - | - | 28 899 806  | 1 239        |
| Sephaku Coal Holdings (Pty) Ltd        | - | - | 11 252      | 11 252       |
| Callin Investments (Pty) Ltd           | - | - | 183 886     | 183 886      |
| Sephaku Cement (Pty) Ltd               | - | - | (39 700)    | -            |
| Sephaku Tin (Pty) Ltd                  | - | - | 1 721 822   | 13 933       |
|  | - | - | 80 661 851  | (2 606 372)  |

These loans are unsecured, bear no interest and are repayable on demand.

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### 9. Loans to (from) group companies (continued)

#### Associates

|                                       |                  |                  |                  |                  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Taung Gold Ltd                        | 1 797 650        | 2 302 778        | 2 734 768        | 2 209 768        |
| Taung Gold Exploration West (Pty) Ltd | -                | 1 376 348        | -                | -                |
| African Nickel Holdings (Pty) Ltd     | 995 471          | 120 482          | -                | -                |
| Sephaku Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd    | 856 603          | 373 683          | 163 658          | 163 658          |
|                                       | <b>3 649 724</b> | <b>4 173 291</b> | <b>2 898 426</b> | <b>2 373 426</b> |

The loans are unsecured, bear no interest and are repayable on demand.

|                     |                  |                  |                   |                  |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Current assets      | 4 807 324        | 4 173 343        | 86 301 449        | 16 443 988       |
| Current liabilities | (1 157 597)      | (52)             | (2 741 172)       | (16 676 934)     |
|                     | <b>3 649 727</b> | <b>4 173 291</b> | <b>83 560 277</b> | <b>(232 946)</b> |

### 10. Other financial assets

#### Loans and receivables

|                               |                  |                  |              |               |
|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|---------------|
| African Precious Minerals Ltd | 4 524 123        | 59 105           | -            | -             |
| African Nickel Ltd            | 2 311 173        | 893 525          | 1 000        | -             |
| Platmin Investments Ltd       | 53 412           | 53 412           | -            | -             |
| Kgodiso Coal (Pty) Ltd        | -                | 30 217           | -            | 30 217        |
| Mosambique Biofuel Industries | 2 199 515        | -                | -            | -             |
| Mineral Afrique Ltd           | 18 142           | -                | -            | -             |
|                               | <b>9 106 365</b> | <b>1 036 259</b> | <b>1 000</b> | <b>30 217</b> |

The loans are unsecured, bear no interest and are repayable on demand.

#### Current assets

|                       |           |           |       |        |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-------|--------|
| Loans and receivables | 9 106 365 | 1 036 259 | 1 000 | 30 217 |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-------|--------|

The fair values of the financial assets were determined as follows:

- The fair values of listed or quoted investments are based on the quoted market price.
- The fair values on investments not listed or quoted are estimated using the discounted cash flow analysis.

Fair values are determined annually at balance sheet date.

There were no gains or losses realised on the disposal of held to maturity financial assets in 2008 and 2007, as all the financial assets were disposed of at their redemption date.



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### 11. Financial assets by category

The accounting policies for financial instruments have been applied to the line items below:

#### Group - 2008

|  | Loans and receivables | Held to maturity investments | Total             |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Loans to group companies                   | 4 807 324             | -                            | 4 807 324         |
| Other financial assets                     | 9 106 365             | -                            | 9 106 365         |
| Loans to directors, managers and employees | 451 747               | -                            | 451 747           |
| Trade and other receivables                | 17 221 751            | -                            | 17 221 751        |
| Cash and cash equivalents                  | 54 186 691            | -                            | 54 186 691        |
| Rehabilitation guarantee                   | 258 500               | -                            | 258 500           |
| Other loan                                 | 941 200               | -                            | 941 200           |
|  | <b>86 973 578</b>     | <b>-</b>                     | <b>86 973 578</b> |

#### Group - 2007

|  | Loans and receivables | Held to maturity investments | Total             |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Loans to group companies                   | 4 173 343             | -                            | 4 173 343         |
| Loans to directors, managers and employees | 553 176               | -                            | 553 176           |
| Trade and other receivables                | 8 935 120             | -                            | 8 935 120         |
| Cash and cash equivalents                  | 24 931 956            | -                            | 24 931 956        |
| Rehabilitation guarantee                   | -                     | 184 000                      | 184 000           |
|  | <b>38 593 595</b>     | <b>184 000</b>               | <b>38 777 595</b> |

#### Company - 2008

|  | Loans and receivables | Held to maturity investments | Total             |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Loans to group companies                   | 86 301 449            | -                            | 86 301 449        |
| Other financial assets                     | 1 000                 | -                            | 1 000             |
| Loans to directors, managers and employees | 1 100                 | -                            | 1 100             |
| Cash and cash equivalents                  | 4 558 985             | -                            | 4 558 985         |
|  | <b>90 862 534</b>     | <b>-</b>                     | <b>90 862 534</b> |

#### Company - 2007

|  | Loans and receivables | Held to maturity investments | Total             |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Loans to group companies                   | 16 443 988            | -                            | 16 443 988        |
| Loans to directors, managers and employees | 1 100                 | -                            | 1 100             |
| Trade and other receivables                | 201 425               | -                            | 201 425           |
| Cash and cash equivalents                  | 23 447 126            | -                            | 23 447 126        |
| Other                                      | 30 217                | -                            | 30 217            |
|  | <b>40 123 856</b>     | <b>-</b>                     | <b>40 123 856</b> |

### 12. Deposits for rehabilitation

In terms of section 41 of the Minerals and Petroleum Development Act an applicant for a prospecting right, mining right or mining permit must make the prescribed financial provision for the rehabilitation or management of negative environmental impacts. The group made deposits with the Department of Minerals and Energy in compliance herewith.

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### 13. Other loans receivable

Sephaku Cement (Pty) Ltd advanced an amount to acquire Fixtrade 1423 CC, which is the owner of portion 11 of the farm Klein Westerford 7810. Once this Close Corporation has been converted to a company the shares will be transferred to Sephaku Developments (Pty) Ltd.

### 14. Loans to directors, managers and employees

#### Loans to directors, managers and employees

|                          |                |                |              |              |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| At beginning of the year | 553 176        | -              | 1 100        | -            |
| Advances                 | 508 509        | 601 176        | -            | 1 100        |
| Repayments               | (609 938)      | (48 000)       | -            | -            |
|                          | <b>451 747</b> | <b>553 176</b> | <b>1 100</b> | <b>1 100</b> |

The loans to directors, managers and employees bear no interest and are repayable on demand.

### 15. Trade and other receivables

|                   |                   |                  |          |                |
|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------|----------------|
| Trade receivables | 14 256 230        | 8 363 348        | -        | 201 425        |
| Prepayments       | 3 500             | -                | -        | -              |
| Deposits          | 43 770            | 15 055           | -        | -              |
| VAT               | 2 918 251         | 556 717          | -        | -              |
|                   | <b>17 221 751</b> | <b>8 935 120</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>201 425</b> |

### 16. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of:

|                                 |                   |                   |                  |                   |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Cash on hand                    | 588 208           | 581 690           | -                | -                 |
| Bank balances                   | 53 194 306        | 24 350 266        | 4 558 985        | 23 447 126        |
| Other cash and cash equivalents | 404 177           | -                 | -                | -                 |
| Bank overdraft                  | (64)              | -                 | -                | -                 |
|                                 | <b>54 186 627</b> | <b>24 931 956</b> | <b>4 558 985</b> | <b>23 447 126</b> |
| Current assets                  | 54 186 691        | 24 931 956        | 4 558 985        | 23 447 126        |
| Current liabilities             | (64)              | -                 | -                | -                 |
|                                 | <b>54 186 627</b> | <b>24 931 956</b> | <b>4 558 985</b> | <b>23 447 126</b> |

#### Credit quality of cash at bank and short term deposits, excluding cash on hand

The credit quality of cash at bank and short term deposits, excluding cash on hand that are neither past due nor impaired can be assessed by reference to external credit ratings (if available) or historical information about counterparty default rates:

|               |            |            |           |            |
|---------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Credit rating |            |            |           |            |
| AAA           | 53 194 306 | 24 350 266 | 4 558 985 | 23 447 126 |

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| <b>17. Share capital</b>   |                |                |                |                |
| <b>Authorised</b>  |                |                |                |                |
| 150 000 000 Ordinary shares of R0.001 each                         | 150 000        | 150 000        | 150 000        | 150 000        |
| 50 000 000 non-voting convertible Preference shares of R0.001 each | 50 000         | 50 000         | 50 000         | 50 000         |
|  | <b>200 000</b> | <b>200 000</b> | <b>200 000</b> | <b>200 000</b> |

The unissued ordinary shares are under the control of the directors.

|                              |                   |                   |                   |                   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Issued</b>                |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| Ordinary                     | 77 436            | 60 681            | 77 797            | 60 681            |
| Preference                   | 25 193            | 19 877            | 25 193            | 19 877            |
| Ordinary shares to be issued | 194 251           | 204               | 194 251           | 204               |
| Share premium                | 84 355 283        | 23 773 504        | 84 537 790        | 23 773 504        |
|                              | <b>84 652 163</b> | <b>23 854 266</b> | <b>84 835 031</b> | <b>23 854 266</b> |

Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd holds 360 355 (2007: Nil) shares in Sepahiku Holdings Ltd, which reduced the consolidated share capital by R360 (2007: Nil) and the share premium by R 182 507 (2007: Nil).

## 18. Share based payments

| Share Option Group   |                                      | Number                                      | Weighted exercise price               | Total value  |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Share options granted during the year                                      |                                      | 200 000                                     | 1.50                                  | 300 000      |
| <b>Outstanding options</b>   | <b>Exercise date within one year</b> | <b>Exercise date from two to five years</b> | <b>Exercise date after five years</b> | <b>Total</b> |
| 200,000 Options with exercise price of R1.50 from 30/06/2007 to 30/06/2011 | 150 000                              | 150 000                                     | -                                     | 300 000      |
| <b>Information on options granted during the year</b>                      |                                      |   |                                       |              |
| Weighted fair value of options issued during the year                      | 1 677 572                            | -   | -                                     | 1 677 572    |

Fair value was determined by using the Black Sholes method.

Total expenses of R 1 677 572 related to equity-settled share based payments transactions were recognised in 2008. No share options were granted during 2007.



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|   | 2008  | 2007     | 2008    | 2007 |
| <b>19. Finance lease obligation</b>     |       |          |         |      |
| Minimum lease payments due              |       |          |         |      |
| - within one year                       | -     | 57 957   | -       | -    |
| - in second to fifth year inclusive     | -     | 50 609   | -       | -    |
|   | -     | 108 566  | -       | -    |
| less: future finance charges            | -     | (12 966) | -       | -    |
| Present value of minimum lease payments | -     | 95 600   | -       | -    |

It is group policy to lease certain office equipment under an installment sale agreement. This was repaid in full during 2008.

## 20. Provisions

### Reconciliation of provisions - Group - 2008

|   | Opening Balance | Utilised during the year | Total |
|---|-----------------|--------------------------|-------|
| Provision for cost of drilling data from Anglo Operations Ltd | 2 008 699       | (2 008 699)              | -     |

## 21. Current tax payable (receivable)

The amount of R1 149 883 relates to Capital Gains Tax payable for the current year and R2,303,458 relates to current tax payable from the 2007 tax year.

## 22. Trade and other payables

|                   |           |           |           |    |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----|
| Trade payables    | 1 956 779 | 4 541 314 | 5 154 326 | 79 |
| VAT               | -         | 386 521   | -         | -  |
| Accrued leave pay | 372 085   | -         | -         | -  |
| Other payables    | 7         | -         | -         | -  |
|                   | 2 328 871 | 4 927 835 | 5 154 326 | 79 |

## 23. Financial liabilities by category

The accounting policies for financial instruments have been applied to the line items below:

### Group - 2008

|                            | Financial liabilities at amortised cost | Total     |
|----------------------------|---|-----------|
| Loans from group companies | 1 157 597                               | 1 157 597 |
| Loans from shareholders    | 10 500                                  | 10 500    |
| Trade and other payables   | 2 328 872                               | 2 328 872 |
| Bank overdraft             | 64                                      | 64        |
|                            | 3 497 033                               | 3 497 033 |

### Group - 2007

|                            | Financial liabilities at amortised cost | Total     |
|----------------------------|---|-----------|
| Loans from group companies | 52                                      | 52        |
| Trade and other payables   | 4 927 835                               | 4 927 835 |
|                            | 4 927 887                               | 4 927 887 |

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### 23. Financial liabilities by category (continued)

#### Company - 2008

|                            | Financial liabilities at amortised cost | Total            |
|----------------------------|---|------------------|
| Loans from group companies | 2 741 172                               | 2 741 172        |
| Trade and other payables   | 5 154 326                               | 5 154 326        |
|                            | <b>7 895 498</b>                        | <b>7 895 498</b> |

#### Company - 2007

|                            | Financial liabilities at amortised cost | Total             |
|----------------------------|---|-------------------|
| Loans from group companies | 16 676 934                              | 16 676 934        |
| Trade and other payables   | 79                                      | 79                |
|                            | <b>16 677 013</b>                       | <b>16 677 013</b> |

### 24. Operating (loss) profit

Operating profit for the year is stated after accounting for the following:

#### Operating lease charges

|                       |                |                |          |               |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------|---------------|
| Premises              |                |                |          |               |
| • Contractual amounts | 661 068        | 332 581        | -        | 16 095        |
| Equipment             |                |                |          |               |
| • Contractual amounts | 186 890        | 26 459         | -        | -             |
|                       | <b>847 958</b> | <b>359 040</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>16 095</b> |

|   |           |              |              |   |
|---|-----------|--------------|--------------|---|
| Profit on sale of non-current assets          | (9 925)   | (22 000 000) | (14 999 900) | - |
| Amortisation on intangible assets             | 92 133    | 18 426       | -            | - |
| Depreciation on property, plant and equipment | 466 181   | 105 445      | -            | - |
| Employee costs                                | 9 117 865 | 3 877 956    | -            | - |
| Impairment of intangible assets               | 93 585    | -            | -            | - |
| (Profit) / loss on foreign exchange           | 16        | -            | -            | - |

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| <b>25. Investment revenue</b>  |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Interest revenue   |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Loans  | 60 180           | 24 803           | -                | -              |
| Bank   | 1 269 227        | 490 413          | 985 212          | 490 411        |
| Interest - other   | 1 110 197        | 795              | 1 110 197        | 795            |
|  | <b>2 439 604</b> | <b>516 011</b>   | <b>2 095 409</b> | <b>491 206</b> |
| <b>26. Finance costs</b>   |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Trade and other payables   | 1 018            | -                | -                | -              |
| Finance leases   | 5 909            | 9 175            | -                | -              |
| Bank   | 306              | 10               | -                | -              |
|  | <b>7 233</b>     | <b>9 185</b>     | <b>-</b>         | <b>-</b>       |
| <b>27. Taxation</b>  |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Major components of the tax expense  |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Current  |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Local income tax - current period  | 1 149 883        | -                | 1 149 883        | -              |
| Capital Gains Tax  | -                | 2 303 458        | -                | -              |
|  | <b>1 149 883</b> | <b>2 303 458</b> | <b>1 149 883</b> | <b>-</b>       |
| Reconciliation of the tax expense  |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Reconciliation between applicable tax rate and average effective tax rate. |                  |                  |                  |                |
| Applicable tax rate  | 29.00 %          | 29.00 %          | - %              | - %            |
| Portion of capital gain not taxed  | 33.40 %          | (21.30)%         | - %              | - %            |
| Deferred tax asset on tax losses not raised                                | (81.90)%         | 7.60 %           | - %              | - %            |
| Assessed loss utilised   | 1.80 %           | - %              | - %              | - %            |
|  | <b>(17.70)%</b>  | <b>15.30 %</b>   | <b>- %</b>       | <b>- %</b>     |

The estimated tax loss available for set off against future taxable income is R 396 793 (2007: R 426 940).



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| <b>28. Net asset value per share and earnings per share</b>  |              |              |         |      |
| <b>Net asset value and tangible net asset value per share</b>  |              |              |         |      |
| Total assets   | 153 981 708  | 45 696 985   |         |      |
| Total liabilities  | (6 952 942)  | (9 356 144)  |         |      |
| Minority interest  | (20 733 423) | (25)         |         |      |
| Net asset value attributable to equity holders of parent   | 126 295 344  | 36 340 816   |         |      |
| Goodwill   | (748 900)    | (748 900)    |         |      |
| Intangible assets  | (32 415 296) | (4 359 838)  |         |      |
| Tangible net asset value   | 93 131 148   | 31 232 078   |         |      |
| Ordinary and preference shares in issue *  | 102 990 000  | 80 558 000   |         |      |
| Net asset value per share (cents)  | 122.63       | 45.11        |         |      |
| Tangible net asset value per share (cents)   | 90.43        | 38.77        |         |      |
| <b>Earnings and headline earnings per ordinary share</b>   |              |              |         |      |
| <i>Reconciliation of basic earnings to diluted earnings and headline earnings:</i>                             |              |              |         |      |
| Basic earnings and diluted earnings  | (7 404 847)  | 12 712 876   |         |      |
| Profit on sale of non-current assets   | (9 925)      | (18 337 000) |         |      |
| Loss on non-current assets held for sale and disposal groups   | 4 592        | -            |         |      |
| Impairment of intangible assets  | 93 585       | -            |         |      |
| Headline earnings attributable to ordinary shareholders  | (7 316 595)  | (5 624 124)  |         |      |
| <i>Reconciliation of basic weighted average number of shares to diluted weighted average number of shares:</i> |              |              |         |      |
| Basic weighted average number of ordinary and preference shares *  | 98 003 796   | 51 086 113   |         |      |
| Dilutive effect of share options   | 200 000      | -            |         |      |
| Diluted weighted average number of ordinary shares   | 98 203 796   | 51 086 113   |         |      |
| Basic earnings per share (cents)   | (7.56)       | 24.89        |         |      |
| Diluted earnings per share (cents)   | (7.54)       | 24.89        |         |      |
| Headline earnings per share (cents)  | (7.47)       | (11.01)      |         |      |
| Diluted headline earnings per share (cents)  | (7.45)       | (11.01)      |         |      |

\* Preference shares are included in the number of shares as they rank pari passu with the ordinary shares.

### Basic earnings per ordinary share

The calculation of basic earnings per share of (7.56) cents (2007: 24.89 cents) is based on the earnings attributable to equity holders of the parent of R7 404 847 (2007: R12 712 876) and the weighted average of 98 003 796 (2007: 51 086 113) ordinary and preference shares in issue during the year. The preference shares are included as they rank pari passu with the ordinary shares.

### Diluted earnings per ordinary share

The calculation of diluted earnings per share of (7.54) cents (2007: 24.89 cents) is based on earnings attributable to ordinary shareholders of (R7 648 765) (2007: R12 712 876) and the diluted weighted average of 98 203 796 (2007: 51 086 113) ordinary and preference shares. The preference shares are included as they rank pari passu with the ordinary shares.

### Headline earnings per ordinary share

The calculation of headline earnings per ordinary share of (7.47) cents (2007: (11.01) cents) is based on the headline earnings attributable to equity holders of the parent of (R7 316 595) (2007: (R5 624 124)) and the weighted average of 98 003 796 (2007: 51 086 113) ordinary and preference shares in issue during the year. The preference shares are included as they rank pari passu with the ordinary shares.

### Diluted headline earnings per ordinary share

The calculation of diluted headline earnings per ordinary share of (7.45) cents (2007: (11.01) cents) is based on headline earnings attributable to equity holders of the parent of (R7 316 595) (2007: (R5 624 124)) and the diluted weighted average of 98 203 796 (2007: 51 086 113) ordinary shares.

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|   | 2008                | 2007               | 2008             | 2007               |
| <b>29. Cash (used in) generated from operations</b> |                     |                    |                  |                    |
| (Loss) profit before taxation                       | (6 498 881)         | 15 016 334         | 11 861 856       | (185 170)          |
| <b>Adjustments for:</b>                             |                     |                    |                  |                    |
| Depreciation and amortisation                       | 558 314             | 123 871            | -                | -                  |
| Profit on sale of non-current assets                | (9 925)             | (22 000 000)       | (14 999 900)     | -                  |
| Income from equity accounted investments            | 325 002             | -                  | -                | -                  |
| Interest received                                   | (2 439 604)         | (516 011)          | (2 095 409)      | (491 206)          |
| Finance costs                                       | 7 233               | 9 185              | -                | -                  |
| Movements in provisions                             | (2 008 699)         | 2 008 699          | -                | -                  |
| Transfer to NDR                                     | 1 677 572           | -                  | 1 677 572        | -                  |
| Deferred exploration cost written off / impaired    | 93 585              | -                  | -                | -                  |
| <b>Changes in working capital:</b>                  |                     |                    |                  |                    |
| Trade and other receivables                         | (8 241 031)         | (8 895 402)        | 201 425          | (201 425)          |
| Trade and other payables                            | (2 598 958)         | 4 911 751          | 5 154 247        | (159 333)          |
|   | <b>(19 135 392)</b> | <b>(9 341 573)</b> | <b>1 799 791</b> | <b>(1 037 134)</b> |

### 30. Tax refunded

|   |             |             |             |   |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|---|
| Balance at beginning of the year                        | (2 303 458) | -           | -           | - |
| Current tax for the year recognised in income statement | (1 149 884) | (2 303 458) | (1 149 883) | - |
| Balance at end of the year                              | 3 453 342   | 2 303 458   | 1 149 883   | - |
|   | -           | -           | -           | - |

### 31. Commitments

#### Authorised capital expenditure

During the 2007 year the group entered into an agreement with Alchemy Property Management to lease premises from 1 October 2007. The lease period is 2 years with the termination date 30 September 2009. The group will have the option to extend the lease to 31 March 2010.

Sephaku Management has entered into a lease agreement with Emergent Investments (Pty) Ltd in respect of the offices leased by the Sephaku Group, which are situated in Centurion. This lease agreement terminates on 30 September 2009 and the total monthly rental is R152 535. Sephaku Holdings reimburses Sephaku Management on a cost recovery basis for this rental.

#### Operating leases – as lessee (expense)

##### Minimum lease payments due

|                                     |                  |                  |   |   |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---|---|
| - within one year                   | 1 536 668        | 596 718          | - | - |
| - in second to fifth year inclusive | 2 018 411        | 3 554 979        | - | - |
|                                     | <b>3 555 079</b> | <b>4 151 697</b> | - | - |

Operating lease payments represent rentals payable by the group for certain of its office properties. Leases are negotiated on an annual basis. No contingent rent is payable.

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### 32. Related parties

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|----------------------------|---|
| Relationships              |   |
| Subsidiaries               | Refer to note 7   |
| Associates                 | Refer to note 8   |
| Subsidiaries of associates | Taung Gold Exploration West (Pty) Ltd<br>African Nickel (Ermelo) (Pty) Ltd<br>African Nickel (NW) (Pty) Ltd<br>African Nickel (Koster) (Pty) Ltd<br>African Nickel Holdings (Pty) Ltd<br>Taung Gold (Free State) (Pty) Ltd<br>Taung Gold Exploration Ltd<br>Taung Gold (North West) (Pty) Ltd<br>African Nickel (Northern Cape) (Pty) Ltd |
| Members of key management  | CRdW de Bruin<br>RR Matjiu<br>NR Crafford-Lazarus<br>L Mohuba<br>ME Smit<br>J Bennette<br>D Twist<br>GS Mahlati   |

### Related party balances

#### Loan accounts - Owing (to) by related parties

|  |           |           |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Taung Gold Ltd and subsidiaries                    | 1 797 650 | 3 679 126 |
| Sephaku Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd                 | 856 603   | 373 683   |
| African Nickel Holdings (Pty) Ltd and subsidiaries | 995 471   | 120 482   |
| CRdW de Bruin                                      | 87 737    | -         |
| J Bennette   | 5 000     | -         |

#### Amounts included in Trade Receivable (Trade Payable) regarding related parties

|  |             |             |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Taung Gold Ltd and subsidiaries                    | (3 342 485) | (1 547 750) |
| Sephaku Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd                 | (327 699)   | (95 468)    |
| African Nickel Holdings (Pty) Ltd and subsidiaries | (398 486)   | (2 379 532) |

### Related party transactions

#### Administration fees paid to (received from) related parties

|  |         |         |
|--|---------|---------|
| Taung Gold Ltd and subsidiaries                    | 707 518 | -       |
| Sephaku Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd                 | 54 894  | -       |
| African Nickel Holdings (Pty) Ltd and subsidiaries | 284 286 | 261 541 |



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### 33. Directors' emoluments

#### Executive

|   |            |           |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 2008  | Emoluments | Total     |
| In connection with the affairs of the company or its subsidiaries | 5 536 514  | 5 536 514 |

|   |            |           |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 2007  | Emoluments | Total     |
| In connection with the affairs of the company or its subsidiaries | 7 666 126  | 7 666 126 |

#### Non-executive

|   |            |         |
|---|------------|---------|
| 2008  | Emoluments | Total   |
| In connection with the affairs of the company or its subsidiaries | 486 576    | 486 576 |

|   |            |           |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 2007  | Emoluments | Total     |
| In connection with the affairs of the company or its subsidiaries | 1 954 609  | 1 954 609 |

#### Details of service contracts

None of the directors of the company have written service contracts with the company. Directors are employed by the board and rotate in terms of the Articles of Association. Certain key directors of the subsidiaries are employed on 5 year contracts.

### 34. Risk management

#### Financial risk management

The group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including currency risk, fair value interest rate risk, cash flow interest rate risk and price risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The group's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the group's financial performance. The group uses derivative financial instruments to hedge certain risk exposures. Risk management is carried out by a central treasury department (group treasury) under policies approved by the board of directors. Group treasury identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks in close co-operation with the group's operating units. The board of directors provides written principles for overall risk management, as well as written policies covering specific areas, such as foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, use of derivative financial instruments and non-derivative financial instruments, and investment of excess liquidity.

#### Liquidity risk

The group's risk to liquidity as a result of the funds available to cover future commitments. The group manages liquidity risk through an ongoing review of future commitments and credit facilities.

Cash flow forecasts are prepared and the utilisation of borrowing facilities are monitored.

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### 34. Risk management (continued)

#### Interest rate risk

The group analyses its interest rate exposure on a dynamic basis. Various scenarios are simulated taking into consideration refinancing, renewal of existing positions, alternative financing and hedging. Based on these scenarios, the group calculates the impact on profit and loss of a defined interest rate shift. For each simulation, the same interest rate shift is used for all currencies.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk is managed on a group basis.

Credit risk consists mainly of cash deposits, cash equivalents, derivative financial instruments and trade debtors. The company only deposits cash with major banks with high quality credit standing and limits exposure to any one counter-party.

#### Foreign exchange risk

The group does not hedge foreign exchange fluctuations.

The group reviews its foreign currency exposure, including commitments on an ongoing basis. The company expects its foreign exchange contracts to hedge foreign exchange exposure.

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### 35. Segment information

Management has determined the operating segments based on the information used by the board to make strategic decisions. The board considers the business primarily from a commodity perspective. The gold and nickel operations are not classified as separate sectors, since the company is not primarily responsible for the strategic decisions to be made in those businesses. The reportable operating segments will derive their revenue primarily from the mining, beneficiation and sale of the relevant minerals. Other services included refer to the revenue gained from supplying infrastructure and services in mining and exploration activities to related companies as well as the commodities which have not yet reached strategic emphasis.

#### Segment information for the Group - 2008

|   | Cement     | Fluorspar | Tin       | Coal      | Other        | Consolidation adjustment and elimination | Total       |
|---|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| Segment revenue                                       | -          | -         | -         | -         | 9 728 757    | -  | 9 728 757   |
| Segment expense                                       | 1 517 166  | 141 264   | 71 701    | 126 728   | 6 836 208    | 9 637 348                                | 18 330 415  |
| Segment result  | 1 517 166  | 141 264   | 71 701    | 126 728   | 2 892 549    | 9 637 348                                | 8 601 658   |
| Depreciation  | 1 473      | -         | -         | -         | 558 841      | -  | 558 314     |
| Interest received                                     | 284 015    | -         | -         | -         | 2 155 589    | -  | 2 439 604   |
| Finance cost  | 2          | -         | -         | -         | 7 231        | -  | 7 233       |
| Income tax expense                                    | -          | -         | -         | -         | 1 149 883    | -  | 1 149 883   |
| Income from equity accounted investments              | -          | -         | -         | -         | 325 002      | -  | 325 002     |
| Segment assets  | 81 242 116 | 557 299   | (181 123) | 1 659 127 | 22 581 738   | 19 965 528                               | 125 824 685 |
| Total assets includes additions to non-current assets | 25 595 625 | 3 595 060 | 3 436 004 | 1 659 127 | 3 512 944    | -  | 37 798 760  |
| Investment in associates                              | -          | -         | -         | -         | 28 457 900   | -  | 28 457 900  |
| Segment liabilities                                   | 13 047 320 | 1 235 612 | 489 277   | 1 286 552 | (26 148 600) | 17 040 214                               | 6 950 375   |



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### 35. Segment information (continued)

#### Segment information for the Group - 2007

|   | Cement       | Fluorspar | Tin       | Coal   | Other      | Consolidation<br>adjustment and<br>elimination | Total        |
|---|--------------|-----------|-----------|--------|------------|--|--------------|
| Segment revenue   | 22 000 000   | -         | -         | -      | 13 469 184 | (3 987 589)                                    | 31 481 595   |
| Segment expense   | 3 546 244    | -         | 450       | -      | 17 412 984 | (3 987 589)                                    | 16 972 089   |
| Segment result  | (18 453 756) | -         | 450       | -      | 3 943 801  | -  | (14 509 506) |
| Depreciation  | -            | -         | -         | -      | 123 871    | -  | 123 871      |
| Interest received   | -            | -         | -         | -      | 516 011    | -  | 516 011      |
| Finance cost  | 2            | -         | -         | -      | 9 185      | -  | 9 185        |
| Income tax expense  | 2 303 458    | -         | -         | -      | -          | -  | 2 303 458    |
| Segment assets  | 3 289 579    | 335 812   | (169 371) | 77 642 | 28 872 824 | 13 290 219                                     | 45 696 704   |
| Total assets includes<br>additions to non-current<br>assets | 2 611 683    | 497 698   | 1 045 727 | 88 894 | 844 349    | -  | 5 088 351    |
| Investment in associates                                    | -            | -         | 176       | -      | 104        | -  | 280          |
| Segment liabilities   | 3 817 540    | 251 567   | 525 473   | 74 612 | 5 320 818  | (633 866)                                      | 9 356 145    |

Business segments for management purposes are those minerals and commodities regarded as key to the company's business model and which are actively managed by the company. The company has two associates in Gold and Nickel, but these associates are primarily managed by the majority shareholder and therefore the company does not yet regard these as reportable segments.

The company operates only in South Africa and does not regard geographical segments as reportable.

The Other section includes:

- unallocated management expenditure and other assets and liabilities;
- revenue from other non-group companies for expenditure charged to these companies;
- any revenue and expenditure and assets and liabilities in respect of the associate companies exploring for Gold and Nickel; and
- any revenue and expenditure and assets and liabilities in respect of the smaller operations in Vanadium, Platinum, Chrome and Diamonds.

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### 36. Issue of revised Financial Statements

| Description of changes   | Changes to<br>Income<br>Statement | Changes to<br>Equity | Changes to<br>Assets | Changes to<br>Liabilities |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Reallocation of gain on issue of shares to minorities          | 35 135 539                        | (35 135 539)         | -                    | -                         |
| Deferred tax (relating to above) previously incorrectly raised | (4 919 618)                       | -                    | -                    | 4 919 618                 |
| Overprovision for taxation in previous financials statements   | (53 698)                          | -                    | -                    | 53 698                    |
| Associates previously accounted as JV's                        | -                                 | -                    | (155 403)            | 155 403                   |
| Adjustment to expenses in re-issued financial statements       | (152 172)                         | -                    | -                    | 152 172                   |
| 2007 Elimination journal entry adjusted                        | -                                 | (5 081 501)          | 5 081 501            | -                         |
| Reallocations  | 177 424                           | -                    | (5 051 784)          | (15 283 970)              |

The comparative information has been adjusted for the above changes where necessary.

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### Statement from the Secretary

We conducted the duties of company secretary for Sephaku Holdings Ltd and its Subsidiaries. The secretarial matters are the responsibility of the company's directors. Our responsibility is providing the directors collectively and individually with guidance as to their duties, responsibilities and powers.

#### OPINION

In our opinion, the company has lodged with the Registrar all such returns as are required of a public company in terms of the Companies Act and all such returns are true, correct and up to date.



Sephaku Management (Pty) Ltd

Company Secretary

Centurion, South Africa

22 July 2009