



Water Institute of Southern Africa
Mine Water Division

One day Conference on

The Effect of Regulator Strategies and Policies on Mine Water Management

27 November 2003

Randfontein Estates Gold Mine
Sports Club

PROGRAMME

07h45 **REGISTRATION**, Tea/Coffee

08h25 **Welcome**
Chairman, WISA Mine Water Division

SESSION 1 **SCENE SETTING - BACK TO BASICS**

08h30 **Strategies and Policies from Regulators**
Ms Robyn Stein

09h00 **DME Perspective**
Ms Elize Swart, Dept. Minerals & Energy

09h30 **DWAF Perspective**
*Mr Sakkie van der Westhuizen, Dept. Water
Affairs & Forestry*

10h00 **TEA, COFFEE**

SESSION 2 **NATIONAL WATER RESOURCE STRATEGY**

10h30 **DWAF - Overview and Status of
Implementation following countrywide
workshops**
*Mr Bill Rowlston, Dept. Water Affairs &
Forestry*

11h00 **Implications for the Mining Industry**
Mr Nikisi Lesufi, COM of SA

SESSION 3

WASTE DISCHARGE CHARGE SYSTEM

11h30 Status, Development and Implementation.
*Mr Pieter Viljoen, Dept. Water Affairs &
Forestry*

12h00 **Implications for the Mining Industry**
Ms Carol Dixon, Anglo American

12h30 **LUNCH**

SESSION 4 **CATCHMENT MANAGEMENT AUTHORITIES**

13h30 **Background and Progress on
Implementation**
*Ms Eustathia Bofilatos, Dept. Water Affairs &
Forestry*

14h00 **Implications for the Mining Industry**
*Dr Ralph Heath, Pulles Howard & de Lange
Inc.*

14h30 **TEA, COFFEE**

SESSION 5 **THE MINING VIEWPOINT AND RESPONSE**

15h00 **NWRS - Proposed framework for IWMP,
Sasol**
Mr Nico Bezuidenhout, Golder Associates

15h40 **WDCS - The Mining Viewpoint**
Mr Ulrich Sibilski, Anglogold

16h10 **CONFERENCE CLOSE**

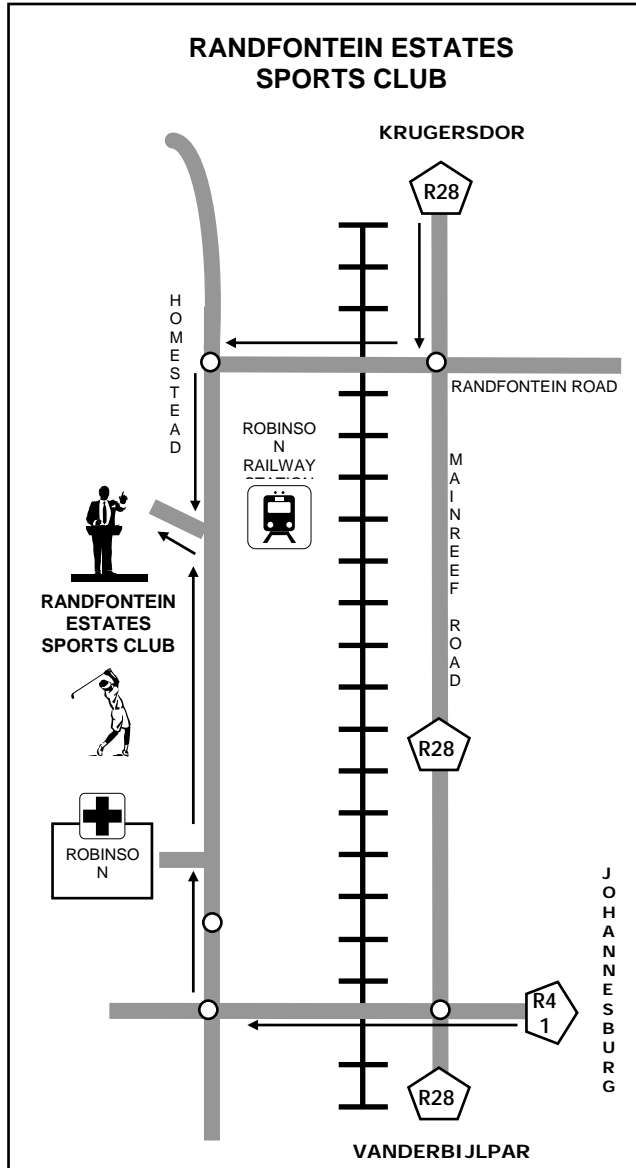
BACKGROUND

The annual WISA Mine Water Division one-day conference for 2003 will build upon the framework set by previous WISA MWD conferences held in 2001 and 2002. These conferences addressed Integrated Mine Water Management and Mine Closure respectively.

The 2003 annual conference will focus on the effect of the most recent developed regulator strategies and policies on mine water management in the South African situation. One of the upcoming challenges to managers in the mining industry is the preparation of an Integrated Water Management Plan as required by the National Water Resource Strategy by December of 2005.

This conference will review the progress that has been made with respect to the development and implementation of the National Water Resource Strategy, the progress made with the development of a Waste Discharge Charge System, and that, which has been achieved with respect to establishing of Catchment Management Authorities.

The conference structure will provide a background to each of the strategies and policies and the implication thereof to the mining sector. To emphasize the pertinence of the various strategies and policies, environmental law practitioners will provide a legal perspective on the mine water management implications. The mining industry response will be offered by means of presentations regarding implementation of some of these strategies and policies.



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REGISTRATION FORM

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REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE : 14 November 2003

Registration Fees: R456.00 (Incl. VAT)

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the completed registration form, after which you will be liable
for the full fee, whether you attend or not.**

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