

## Career Opportunity Internal & External Advert

**Bokoni Platinum Mines** is an ARM owned mining operation situated on the eastern limb of the Bushveld Complex. This operation is planned to produce circa 400,000 oz per annum. Its project plan includes the construction of new decline shafts with combined capacity of 240,000 tons per month, a new concentrator plant, tailings storage facility and associated surface and underground infrastructure.

Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced persons for the position of **Drill Rig Operator**. The position will be based at Bokoni Platinum Mines at Atok (Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality, Sekhukhune District Municipality in Limpopo).

### Drill Rig Operator B4 (Klipgat Development)

#### Purpose of the Job:

Responsible for operating a mobile mechanised Drill Rig machine in an underground environment.

<p><b>Job Requirements:</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grade 12, for all new applicants.</li> <li>• Grade 10/AET Level 4/NQF Level 1 for all previously retrenched Bokoni Platinum Mines employees.</li> <li>• Have a valid Drill Rig licence / certificate for machine.</li> <li>• At least minimum of 6 months experience as an Operator: Drill Rig will be an advantage.</li> <li>• The successful completion of a hand, eye co-ordination test (Dover Test).</li> <li>• Literacy in English.</li> <li>• Competent B.</li> <li>• No limitations to working underground in confined spaces.</li> <li>• Fitness Certificate.</li> <li>• Understanding &amp; application of Health &amp; Safety Principles.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Job Responsibilities</b> (will include the following but not limited to):</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in Decline Sinking Shaft Development, High Speed development.</li> <li>• Operating a Twin Boom drill Rig with split feeds, drilling the Development end face and Capable of installing weld mesh and split sets as well as drilling and installing quick – Chem resin bolts the same machine.</li> <li>• Good knowledge and Experience of mechanised in mining operations.</li> <li>• Rattling of the loose rocks.</li> <li>• Hanging the cable by the hook.</li> <li>• Participating in the early entry examination.</li> <li>• Drive the Drill Rig around blind corners.</li> <li>• Inspect the face and hanging wall at the Drill face and bar down loose rock.</li> <li>• Align Drill Boom on the required dip and direction and stabilize the machine with the stabilizing jacks.</li> <li>• Responsible for the installation of pipes, barricades &amp; water pump to control the Rigs water.</li> <li>• Reporting of breakdowns to the supervisor &amp; engineering artisans.</li> <li>• Commence drilling at the prescribed pressure settings.</li> <li>• De-sludge/Clean out holes on completion of drilling.</li> <li>• Re-position Drill Rig as required.</li> <li>• Remove the machine from the face at the end of the shift and park in a safe manner.</li> <li>• Responsible for the housekeeping in the areas of responsibility.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More exposure on the electricity as compared to other operators.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Personal Attributes:</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.</li> <li>• Ability to work under pressure.</li> <li>• Ability to work independently.</li> <li>• Team player.</li> <li>• Problem solving.</li> <li>• Results orientated.</li> <li>• Creativity.</li> </ul>

Interested applicants are invited to submit their CVs by no later than 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024. Email: [Bokoni.Recruitment@bokoniplatinum.co.za](mailto:Bokoni.Recruitment@bokoniplatinum.co.za) with subject title Drill Rig Operator as reference along with the following attachments:

- Comprehensive updated CV
- Certified ID copy
- Certified copies of all qualifications

<p><b>Equity Statement:</b></p>	<p>Preference will be given to suitably qualified local community applicants from designated groups in line with the Employment Equity Plan and/or Compliance Targets of the Organisation.</p>
<p><b>POPIA Disclaimer:</b></p>	<p><b>By sending your CV to the email address on this advertisement you agree to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The processing of your personal information and sharing it with third parties for verifications.</li> <li>• The exercising of your rights provided for by POPIA.</li> <li>• To acknowledge that Bokoni Platinum Mines will keep the record of your personal information confidential.</li> </ul>