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# **Quarterly Production Performance 2010**



	APRIL - JUNE 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2010	JULY - SEPTEMBER 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2011	QUARTER -ON-QUARTER VARIANCE(%)
Mooiplaats			
ROM(000)	95	182	92
ROM Purchased	154	155	0
Saleable Production: PRIMARY	115	198	72
	113	190	12
Eskom	83	56	(33)
1000 Fatality Free Production Shifts Achieved at Mooiplaats			
Woestalleen			
ROM (000)	992	931	(6)
Saleable Production: Primary	444	447	0
Secondary	69	104	51
Eskom	86	115	33

#### **CoAL History**



- Access to rail and port allocation at Matola, Maputo
  - unlocking logistical constraints is a key long term factor
- Acquisition and consolidation of world class coking coal assets
  - potential to transform the economy of the region and province
  - potential to add value to shareholders, employees and the surrounding communities
- Direct foreign investment exceeds R2bn

## **CoAL Challenges**



- Creation of wealth through rapid growth
- Resultant capacity shortfall resulting in implementation gaps
- Company fully committed to rectifying stakeholder issues
- Company in transition to implementation phase
  - project delivery
  - operational performance

## **Mooiplaats Colliery**



- Operations continued with three underground sections
- Mooiplaats produced 182,230 tonnes of ROM coal, compared to 94,514 tonnes during the previous quarter
- Additional continuous miner is due to be delivered early Q4 2010
- Ramp up is expected to be completed in early 2011, with five sections producing 190,000 to 200,000 tonnes per month of ROM coal.
- Working closely with the Department of Water Affairs (DWA) to rectify the outstanding water use license
- Analysis of regional water quality results indicate no negative impact on the quality of the water downstream of the mine
- DWA has capacity constraints resulting in significant backlog in issuing of licenses
- Mooiplaats is committed to full compliance



**Aerial view of Mooiplaats Colliery** 

Mooiplaats commissioned wash plant in May 2009 and first shipment in February 2010

## Vele Colliery



- □ Granted a Mining Right in Feb 2010 with an approved Environmental Management Plan (EMP)
- 850 job opportunities created workforce now reduced by 596 people
- Compliance Notice served by DEA during the quarter – rectification papers in terms section of 24G being submitted
- CoAL has fully adhered to the instructions contained in the Compliance Notice and is committed to working with the DEA
- Integrated Water Use Licence pending submitted 10 November 2009
- Capex estimate revised to ZAR571.4 million.
- The mine will bring positive economic benefits to the region
  - estimated R166m contribution toward
     Vhembe District Municipality during the construction phase (3 year period)
  - estimated further R2.8bn during the operational phase

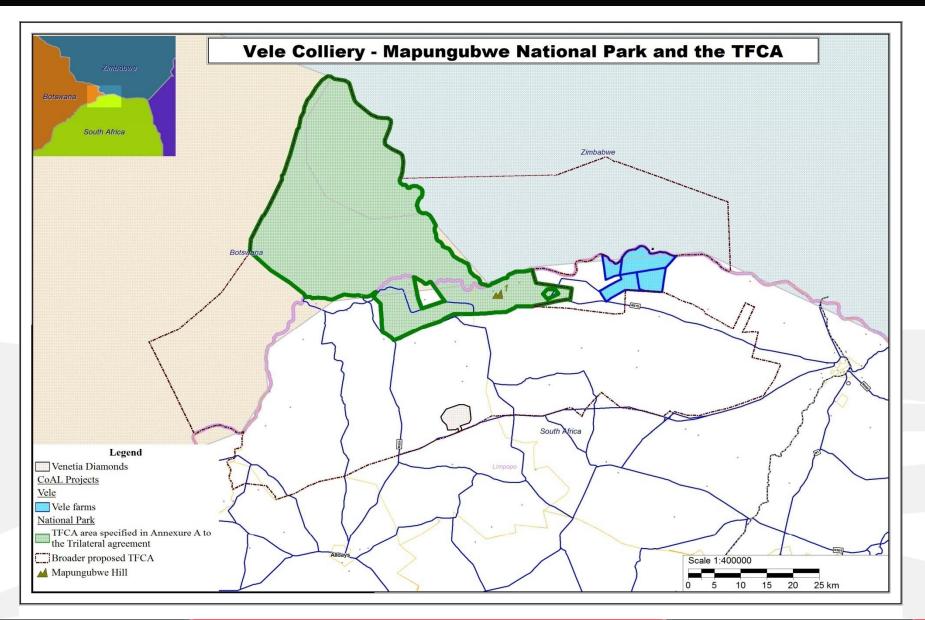


Vele wash plant assembly at site

Vele is a blend coking coal asset, ideally placed to supply ArcelorMittal's Vanderbijlpark steel works

# **Map of Vele Colliery Location & Conservation Initiatives**





#### **Makhado Coking Coal Project**



- Definitive Feasibility Study progressing well:
  - expected to be finalised by Q1 2011
- Commenced engagement with stakeholders including:
  - communities
  - regional and local government
  - interested and affected parties
- CoAL will engage with relevant NGO's on the 'best way forward' to ensure
  - realisation of potential for this and future adjacent projects to transform the region and the province
  - while achieving optimal balance between the environment and the socio-economic needs of the country



Tanga Camp - Recent installation of solar heating panels for hot water

Makhado is a long life coking coal asset offering significant growth potential

#### **Rio Tinto Farm Swap**

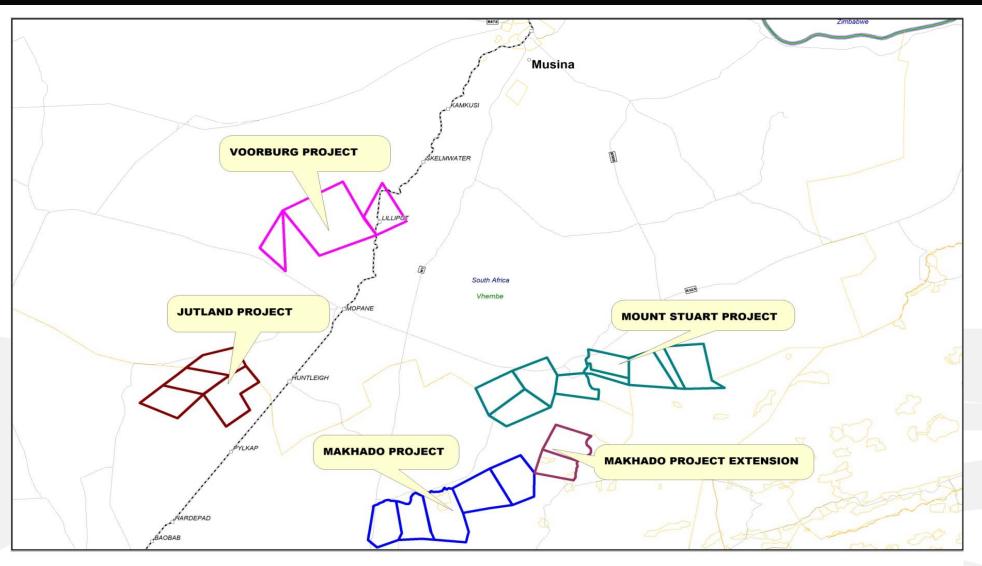


#### **Key Highlights**

- Approval of the Rio Tinto farm swap section 102 application resulted in consolidation of the New Order Prospecting Rights
- The farm swap has resulted in formation of contiguous block of eight farms located 5km to the North east of Makhado, known as the Mount Stuart project
- CoAL has two additional contiguous blocks of farms in the Mopane subbasin of the Soutpansberg coalfield namely the Voorburg & Jutland prospects situated 25km &15km respectively to the North of the Makhado project

## **CoAL Soutpansberg Projects**





#### South Africa as a Mining Investment Destination



- □ To restore confidence in RSA as an investment destination in mining, there is need for more clarity and certainty on regulatory processes
- □ All key stakeholders such as the Government, relevant environment and heritage NGO's and the industry need to agree on optimal way forward
- ☐ It is essential that 'sensitive' areas are quarantined to ensure that exploration investment is confined to defined mining areas
- The previous commodity boom created massive economic value for several nations including China, Australia and Chile
- South Africa cannot afford to miss the next boom

#### Conclusion



#### The future ... significant upside

- The company is committed to complying fully with all relevant legislation
- These CoAL projects have the potential to radically transform the economy of the region and the Province
- CoAL's world class coking coal assets will add substantial value to our shareholders, employees, surrounding communities, the province and the country as a whole
- CoAL will engage and partner with, where applicable, all relevant stakeholders to maximise benefit for all concerned



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