

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

**Pursuant to Rules 13a-16 or 15d-16 under
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Dated March 17, 2016

File Number: 001-35785

SIBANYE GOLD LIMITED
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Libanon Business Park
1 Hospital Street (off Cedar Avenue)
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South Africa

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SIBANYE GOLD LIMITED
(Reg. No. 2002/031431/06)
(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa)
Share Code: SGL
ISIN Code: ZAE000173951
Issuer Code: SGL
("Sibanye" or "the Company")

SOUTH AFRICAN COMPETITION APPROVAL – THE AQUARIUS TRANSACTION

Sibanye shareholders are referred to the announcement on 19 January 2016 advising that Aquarius Platinum Limited's ("Aquarius") shareholders approved the Amalgamation and Amalgamation Agreement, whereby Sibanye will acquire all of the shares in Aquarius for a cash consideration of USD 0.195 per share (the "Aquarius Transaction").

Sibanye is pleased to report that a significant Condition Precedent, being the approval of the South African Competition Authorities for the Aquarius Transaction, subject to certain conditions and qualifications which are acceptable to both Sibanye and Aquarius, was received on 16 March 2016. Sibanye and Aquarius will now proceed to fulfill the final Conditions Precedent, in accordance with the Implementation Agreement. A further announcement, including the transaction timetable, will be issued once the final Conditions Precedent have been fulfilled.

17 March 2016
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

SIBANYE GOLD LIMITED

Dated: March 17, 2016

By: /s/ Charl Keyter

Name: Charl Keyter

Title: Chief Financial Officer