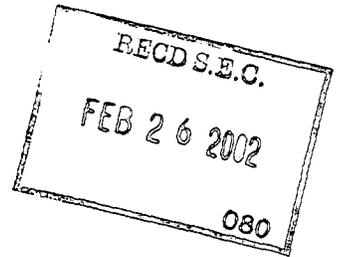


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Washington, D.C. 20549

**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO  
RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE  
ACT OF 1934**

For the Month of February 2002

**Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited**

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**PO Box 2  
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Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)

Yes  No

# JOINT NEWS RELEASE

## by Harmony Gold Mining Co. Ltd. and African Rainbow Minerals (Pty) Ltd. (ARM)



### ARM/HARMONY JV GETS COMPETITION TRIBUNAL APPROVAL

**Johannesburg, 21 February 2002** – Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited ("Harmony") and African Rainbow Minerals (Pty) Ltd. ("ARM") today announced that the Competition Authorities approved the proposed acquisition of AngloGold's Free State assets ("Freegold") on 20 February 2002.

There are no conditions attached to the approval. The two conditions precedent that remain to be fulfilled are the granting of the necessary mining authorities to the Joint Venture by the Department of Minerals and Energy, and the approval of the cession of the mining leases in respect by the Minister of Minerals and Energy.

"We are pleased with the approval by the regulatory authorities, as this progresses the logical consolidation of the Free State goldfields. From both a strategic and operational perspective, the process is well on its way in creating value for our shareholders," commented Bernard Swanepoel, chief executive of Harmony.

Patrice Motsepe, executive chairman of ARM said, "The ARM/Harmony JV continues to make significant progress in the removal of farm fences in this important gold producing region. The benefits from consolidating the region will significantly contribute to the upliftment of the area."

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This presentation includes certain information that is based on management's reasonable expectations and assumptions. These "forward-looking statements" include, but are not limited to, statements regarding estimates, intentions and beliefs, as well as anticipated future production, mine life, market conditions and costs. While management has prepared this information using the best of their experience and judgment, and in all good faith, there are risks and uncertainties involved which could cause results to differ from projections.

Cautionary Note to US Investors – The United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") permits mining companies, in their filings with the SEC, to disclose only those mineral deposits that a company can economically and legally extract or produce. We use certain terms in this quarterly review, such as "resources", that the SEC guidelines strictly prohibit us from including in our filings with the SEC. U.S. Investors are urged to consider closely the disclosure in our public filings with the SEC available from us at Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited, P.O. Box 2, Randfontein, 1760, South Africa, Attention: Mr. Ferdi Dippenaar. You can also obtain these filings from the SEC by calling 1-800-SEC-0330.

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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 authorized.

Dated: February 26, 2002

Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited

By: 

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Title: Company Secretary