

## Executive committee



### 1 Ras Myburgh

Chief executive officer (49)

BEng (Elec), BSc (hons) (Energy Studies), MBA

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### 2 Vincent Uren

Chief financial officer (46)

BCom, CTA, CA(SA)

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### 3 Francois Louw

Head, projects (48)

BEng (Mech), MBA

Francois has experience in various operational and engineering roles in the mining industry, with particular expertise in strategic projects.

### 4 Retief Louw

Acting general manager,  
Sishen Mine (44)

BEng (Elec), Diploma Datametrie (Information Systems),  
MEM (Masters in Engineering Management)

Retief acted as mine manager until the end of 2007. He combines a strong and broad engineering background with management disciplines in a career spanning 18 years and several commodities.

### 5 Emmy Leeka

Head, strategic affairs (38)

BSc Eng (Metallurgy)

Emmy combines a strong project management and engineering background with various senior positions in the mining industry.

### 6 Timo Smit

Head, commercial (39)

MSc (Applied Physics), PhD (Materials Science and  
Engineering)

Timo was previously country director SA for TechnoServe. His academic background and industry experience adds international depth to the Kumba team.



### 7 Vusani Malie

Company secretary (33)

BA (Law), LLB

Vusani, an admitted attorney, was previously corporate services manager for AVI Limited and group company secretary for Santam Limited.

### 8 Christo van Loggerenberg

Head, technology and business development (50)

BEng (hons) (Metallurgy), MBA

Christo was the business development manager of Kumba Resources' iron ore interests. Other senior posts include metallurgy and various engineering and operational positions in the industry.

### 9 Fergus Marupen

Head, human resources (43)

BA (hons), BEd, HDip HRM, MBA

Fergus was previously head of human resources at Kumba Resources. He has in-depth experience of managing human resources in the mining industry.

### 10 Aart van den Brink

General manager, Thabazimbi Mine (46)

MEng (Mining)

Aart has extensive experience in underground and open-cast mining and was appointed mine manager of Thabazimbi in 2006.

### 11 Tebello Chabana

Head, public affairs (36)

BA (Law), LLB

Tebello joined Kumba after serving as head of regulatory affairs for Anglo American South Africa. In this role he built strong working relationships with key regulatory authorities.