

HARMONY GOLD MINING CO LTD

Form 6-K

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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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 31 March 2015

**Harmony Gold Mining Company**

**Limited**

Randfontein Office Park

Corner Main Reef Road and Ward Avenue

Randfontein, 1759

South Africa

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.)

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Form 40-F

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)

Yes

No  X

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**Harmony Gold supportive of collaborative approach**

**Johannesburg: Tuesday, 31 March 2015:** Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited (“Harmony” and/or “the Company”) notes the release by the Minister of Mineral Resources Minister Advocate Ngoako Ramatlhodi today, of the Department of Mineral Resources’ (DMR’s) assessment of the mining industry’s compliance with the Mining Charter.

Harmony is supportive of the position adopted by the Chamber of Mines of South Africa, which acknowledges the DMR’s account of the mining industry’s success in achieving these targets and recognises the role of the mining industry as a driver of growth and development in South Africa.

Harmony notes the difference of opinion in how some black economic empowerment (BEE) transactions are recognized. To this end, the DMR and the mining industry have agreed to jointly seek a ‘declaratory order’ from a South African court to ensure the correct interpretation of the rules governing the BEE component of the Charter. This is a proactive and necessary step to promote regulatory certainty for the mining industry.

“As Harmony continues its journey to cement its future in South Africa – pro-actively participating in transforming the South African mining industry – we remain committed to identifying other opportunities to further facilitate HDSA ownership, transform our workforce, invest in developing South Africans and create opportunities for small business entrepreneurs. Our presence in South Africa is real and lasting and so will our legacy be,” said Graham Briggs, chief executive officer.

The Company believes that its performance in terms of each of the nine pillars set out in the Mining Charter illustrates that it does more than just comply. The nine pillars of the Charter are: reporting, ownership, housing and living conditions, procurement and enterprise development, employment equity, human resources development, mine community development, sustainable development and growth and beneficiation.

For more details on Harmony’s social investment, please visit our website at [www.harmony.co.za](http://www.harmony.co.za)

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Mining Company Limited  
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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: March 31, 2015

Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited

By:

/s/ Frank Abbott

Name: Frank Abbott

Title: Financial Director