

Publication of the draft broad-based socio-economic empowerment charter for the mining and minerals industry, 2018

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The publication of the Draft Broad-based Socio-Economic Empowerment Charter for the Mining and Minerals Industry, 2018 (Draft Mining Charter 2018) on Friday, 15 June 2018 came in the wake of the widely-criticised Reviewed Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Charter for the South African Mining and Minerals Industry on 15 June 2017 (Mining Charter 2017) and the commitment by both President Ramaphosa and the newly-appointed Minister of Mineral Resources, Mr Gwede Mantashe, to seek solutions to the impasse brought about by Mining Charter 2017, between a broad range of stakeholders in the industry led by the Minerals Council of South Africa (then the Chamber of Mines), and the erstwhile Minister, Mr Zwane.

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