

## **Goliath Gold Transaction Approved by Shareholders**

JOHANNESBURG – 22 March 2011. **Gold One International Limited (ASX and JSE: GDO)** is pleased to report that White Water Resources Limited's (JSE:WWR) shareholders have overwhelmingly approved the acquisition of Gold One's Megamine assets and the subsequent change of company name, thus creating Goliath Gold Mining Limited; a new gold exploration and development company.

On 12 November 2010 Gold One announced that it had reached an agreement to acquire control of White Water Resources, an investment holding company, through the sale of Megamine in exchange for approximately 1.04 billion White Water Resources shares valued at ZAR 0.25 each. Gold One will thereafter own 71% of the issued share capital of the enlarged White Water Resources, which is to be renamed Goliath Gold.

With effect from Wednesday, 23 March, the new Goliath Gold board will comprise the following directors:

- Mark Wheatley, as non-executive chairman. Mark is the current non-executive chairman of Gold
  One
- Neal Froneman, as CEO. Neal is the current CEO of Gold One.
- Christopher Chadwick, as CFO. Christopher is the current CFO of Gold One.
- David Hodgson, as an independent non-executive. David is a director on a number of boards as well as former chief operating officer of AngloGold Ashanti Limited.
- Phil Lambert, as an independent non-executive. Phil is a consultant and former company director as well as former head of geology of Gold Fields Limited.
- Keith Rayner, as an independent non-executive. Keith is a director on a number of boards and currently runs a corporate finance training and consultancy corporation.

Three of the four abovementioned non-executive directors are independent and Pierre Kruger, current company secretary of Gold One, will also be appointed as company secretary for Goliath Gold.

Following completion of the transaction and based on the closing share price on 18 March 2011, Goliath Gold will have a market capitalisation of approximately ZAR 646 million.

The transaction will allow Gold One's medium-depth resources to be fully developed through Goliath Gold, without detracting from Gold One's focus on shallow, low technical risk projects. The transaction has crystallised ZAR 450 million (A\$ 63 million) of value in Megamine for Gold One shareholders.

Megamine, located east of Johannesburg, comprises Gold One's operating Sub Nigel mine and the Vlakfontein, West Vlakfontein and Spaarwater prospecting areas, totalling 16,056 hectares.

Megamine's resource currently comprises 3.02 million ounces (including 21.55 million tonnes at 4.36 grams per tonne) in the indicated category and 9.63 million ounces (including 64.62 million tonnes at 4.64 grams per tonne) in the inferred category for a total of 12.65 million ounces.

Incoming Goliath Gold CEO and current Gold One CEO Neal Froneman comments: "I am delighted that we have received such strong White Water Resources shareholder support for the transaction. The formation of Goliath Gold presents a win-win situation for both Gold One and White Water Resources' shareholders. We have already started our first phase of surface exploration drilling, aimed at firming up Megamine's already substantial resource base."

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#### **About Gold One**

Gold One is a gold producer listed on the financial markets operated by the ASX Limited and the JSE Limited, issuer code GDO. Its flagship operation is the newly built shallow Modder East mine on the East Rand, some 30 kilometres from Johannesburg.

Modder East is the first new mine to be built in the region in 28 years and distinguishes itself from most of the other gold mines in South Africa owing to its shallow nature (300 metres to 500 metres below surface). To date Modder East has provided direct employment opportunities for over 1,100 people. Gold One also owns the nearby existing Sub Nigel mine, which is used primarily as a training centre in the build-up of Modder East to full production. Gold One's other projects and targets include Ventersburg in the Free State Goldfields, the Tulo concession in Mozambique and the Etendeka greenfield project in Namibia. Gold One has an issued share capital of 807,299,165 shares.

#### **Forward-Looking Statement**

This release includes certain forward-looking statements and forward-looking information. All statements other than statements of historical fact included in this release including, without limitation, statements regarding future plans and objectives of Gold One International Limited are forward-looking statements (or forward-looking information) that involve various risks, assumptions and uncertainties. There can be no assurance that such statements will prove to be accurate and actual values, results and future events could differ materially from those anticipated in such statements. Important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from Gold One's expectations. Such factors include, among others: the actual results of exploration activities; actual results of reclamation activities; the estimation or realisation of mineral reserves and resources; the timing and amount of estimated future production; costs of production; capital expenditures; costs and timing of the development of Modder East and new deposits; availability of capital required to place Gold One's properties into production; the ability to obtain or maintain a listing in South Africa, Australia, Europe or North America; conclusions of economic evaluations; changes in project parameters as plans continue to be refined; future prices of gold and other commodities; possible variations in ore grade or recovery rates; failure of plant, equipment or processes to operate as anticipated; accidents; labour disputes and other risks of the mining industry; delays in obtaining governmental approvals, permits or financing or in the completion of development or construction activities, economic and financial market conditions; political risks; Gold One's hedging practices; currency fluctuations; title disputes or claims limitations on insurance coverage. Although Gold One has attempted to identify important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially, there may be other factors that cause results not to be as anticipated, estimated or intended.

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### **Competent Person**

The information in this release that relates to exploration results, mineral resources or ore reserves is based on information compiled by Dr Richard Stewart, who has a doctorate in geology and who is a professional natural scientist registered with the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions (SACNASP), membership number 400051/04. Dr Stewart is also a member of the Geological Society of South Africa (GSSA) and Senior Vice President: Business Development for Gold One, with which he is a full-time employee. He has 10 years' experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity which he is undertaking, to qualify as a Competent Person for the purposes of both the 2004 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (JORC Code) and the 2007 Edition of the South African Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves (SAMREC Code). Dr Stewart

consents to the inclusion in this release of the matters based on information compiled by Gold One employees and it's consultants in the form and context in which they appear. Further information on Gold One's resource statement is available in the pre-listing statement of Gold One International Limited issued on 19 December 2008 and in the resource statements released by Gold One on the ASX Announcements Platform and the Stock Exchange News Service (SENS) on 11 October 2010 (Megamine), 7 December 2010 (Ventersburg), and 15 December 2010 (Modder East) and in the 2010 Annual Report released on 28 February 2011.

#### SAMREC and JORC Terminology

In addition, this release uses the terms 'indicated resources' and 'inferred resources' as defined in accordance with the SAMREC Code, prepared by the South African Mineral Resource Committee (SAMREC), under the auspices of the South African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (SAIMM), effective March 2000 or as amended from time to time and where indicated in accordance with the Canadian National Instrument 43-101 – Standards for Disclosure for Mineral Projects. The terms 'indicated resources' and 'inferred resources' are also defined in the 2004 Edition of the JORC Code, prepared by the Joint Ore Reserves Committee (JORC) of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM), the Australian Institute of Geoscientists (AIG) and the Minerals Council of Australia (MCA). [The use of these terms in this release is consistent with the definitions of both the SAMREC Code and the JORC Code.]

A mineral reserve (or 'ore reserve' in the JORC Code) is the economically mineable part of a measured or indicated resource demonstrated by at least a preliminary feasibility study. This study must include adequate information on mining, processing, metallurgical, economic and other relevant factors that demonstrate at the time of reporting that economic extraction can be justified. A mineral reserve includes diluting materials and allows for losses that may occur when the material is mined. A proven mineral reserve (or 'proved ore reserve' in the JORC Code) is the economically mineable part of a measured resource for which quantity, grade or quality, densities, shape and physical characteristics are so well established that they can be estimated with confidence sufficient to allow the appropriate application of technical and economic parameters to support production planning and evaluation of the economic viability of the deposit. A probable mineral reserve (or 'probable ore reserve' in the JORC Code) is the economically mineable part of an indicated mineral resource for which quantity, grade or quality, densities, shape and physical characteristics can be estimated with a level of confidence sufficient to allow the appropriate application of technical and economic parameters to support mine planning and evaluation of the economic viability of the deposit.

A mineral resource is a concentration or occurrence of natural, solid, inorganic or fossilised organic material in or on the earth's crust in such form and quantity and of such a grade or quality that it has reasonable prospects for economic extraction. The location, quantity, grade, geological characteristics and continuity of a mineral resource are known, estimated or interpreted from specific geological evidence and knowledge. A measured mineral resource is that part of a mineral resource for which quantity, grade or quality, densities, shape and physical characteristics can be estimated with a level of confidence sufficient to allow the appropriate application of technical and economic parameters to support mine planning and evaluation of the economic viability of the deposit. The estimate is based on detailed and reliable exploration, sampling and testing information gathered through appropriate techniques from locations such as outcrops, trenches, pits, workings and drillholes that are spaced closely enough to confirm both geological and grade continuity. An indicated mineral resource is that part of a mineral resource for which quantity, grade or quality, densities, shape and physical characteristics can be estimated with a level of confidence sufficient to allow the appropriate application of technical and economic parameters to support mine planning and evaluation of the economic viability of the deposit. The estimate is based on detailed and reliable exploration and testing information gathered through appropriate techniques from locations such as outcrops, trenches, pits, workings and drillholes that are spaced closely enough for geological and grade continuity to be reasonably assumed. An inferred mineral resource is that part of a mineral resource for which quantity and grade or quality can be estimated on the basis of geological evidence and limited sampling and reasonably assumed, but not verified, geological and grade continuity. The estimate is based on limited exploration and sampling gathered through appropriate techniques from locations such as outcrops, trenches, pits, workings and drillholes. Mineral resources which are not mineral reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. Investors are cautioned not to assume that all or any part of the mineral deposits in the measured and indicated resource categories will ever be converted into reserves. In addition, "inferred resources" have a great amount of uncertainty as to their existence and economic and legal feasibility. It cannot be assumed that all or any part of an inferred mineral resource will be ever be upgraded to a higher category. Under South African and Australian rules, estimates of inferred mineral resources may not form the basis of feasibility or pre-feasibility studies or economic studies except under conditions noted in the SAMREC Code and the JORC Code, respectively.

Investors are cautioned not to assume that all or any part of an inferred resource exists or is economically or legally mineable. Exploration data is acquired by Gold One and its consultants under strict quality assurance and quality control protocols.

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