



INFORMATION ALERT:

COMMENCEMENT OF THE MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY AMENDMENT ACT 74 OF 2008

In terms of GN 38 of 2009, the President has determined that the Mine Health and Safety Amendment Act 74 of 2008 shall come into operation on **30 May 2009**. This is with the exception of the following provisions of the Act:

- **Section 16** - Dealing with the amendment of section 50 of the Mine Health and Safety Act 29 of 1996.
- **Section 26** - Dealing with the insertion into the Mine Health and Safety Act 29 of 1996 of a new section 86A dealing with criminal liability of *inter alia* employers, chief executive officers, managers, agents or employees.

