CAE Mining selected to implement integrated Geoscience and Mining Information Management System project for Besra

Brisbane, Australia, June 12, 2013 - CAE Mining has been selected to implement an integrated solution for exploration, resource modelling and open pit and underground mine planning for Besra (TSX:BEZ, ASX:BEZ), a leading producer of gold in Southeast Asia. The project is called Geoscience and Mining Information Management System (GeoMIMS).

Over a four-month period, CAE Mining will implement a system encompassing the data collection and management of geological logging and sampling data, mine production and resource geology, strategic optimisation, and long, medium and short term mine planning. Key software tools in the system include flagship products CAE Fusion, CAE Studio, CAE Studio 5D Planner and CAE NPV Scheduler.

"Because we are rapidly expanding and developing projects, we required an integrated geoscience and mining software system to manage the organisation’s core business data from exploration through to mining operations and CAE Mining offered us the best unified solution," said Graeme Fulton, General Manager of Besra’s Bau project in Malaysia and sponsor of the GeoMIMS project. “A key requirement was that the planning and reporting systems would comply with auditing, filing and regulatory requirements in multiple governmental jurisdictions, and CAE delivered."

“CAE Mining is excited by the opportunity to help Besra achieve its goals and we are committed to servicing the growing demand in Asia,” said CAE Mining President Damian McKay. “In this case, the individual component systems are world class in their own right; by implementing them in a comprehensive integrated solution across all sites and departments, Besra unlocks the opportunity to achieve best practice efficiencies in their planning processes. “

The Besra GeoMIMS implementation began in April and will be completed in July 2013.

About Besra
Besra (www.besra.com) is a diversified gold company focused on four advanced properties; the Bau Goldfield in East Malaysia, Bong Mieu and Phuoc Son in Central Vietnam, and Capcapo in the Philippines. Besra expects to expand existing gold production capacity in Vietnam over the next two years and is projecting new production capacity from Bau Central during late 2015 (start up and production forecasts will depend on the result of the current Jugan feasibility, which is scheduled for completion in 2013).

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CAE Mining provides a compelling one-stop-shop for the technology and services required to seamlessly plan and manage modern mining operations. With operations in twelve countries, CAE Mining offers solutions ranging from exploration data management and ore-body modelling, to mine planning and operations management. We have a technical consulting team of over 100 experienced geologists and mining engineers servicing customers in close to 100 countries. Through our simulators, software, courseware and training services CAE Mining is developing the industry's most compelling technology and services to advance the efficiency and safety of mine operations. www.cae.com/mining
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