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("AngloGold Ashanti" or "AGA" or the "Company")

2022 Preliminary Results Short Form Announcement

Johannesburg, 22 February 2023 - AngloGold Ashanti Limited ("AngloGold Ashanti", "AGA" or the "Company") delivered on its strategic objectives in 2022, achieving improvements in production, cash flow and safety performance, while holding cost increases at around half the inflation rate. Mineral Reserve additions again exceeded depletion.

"It's been a year of significant progress, with the right Operating Model and the right people in the right place. We delivered on our production and cost commitments to the market and have begun to regain cost competitiveness versus our peers," said Chief Executive Officer Alberto Calderon. *"We're seeing good progress in a number of places which confirm we're on the right track."*

AngloGold Ashanti last year introduced new members to its senior leadership team, and redesigned its Operating Model, as it progressed its strategy to narrow the cost gap with peers. The Company has started an asset optimisation programme while self-funding its successful exploration programmes as well as developing mining projects in Ghana and Nevada.

Gold production of 2.742Moz in the year through 31 December was an 11% improvement versus gold production of 2.472Moz in 2021, ending 2022 at the top half of guidance. The Company also met guidance for total capital expenditure and all-in sustaining costs ("AISC"), while total cash costs ended less than 1% above the guidance range amid inflation at multi-decade highs.

The operational result was underpinned by solid performances across most of the portfolio, with the Obuasi gold mine in Ghana meeting targeted production of 250,000oz as it continues on the ramp-up path to its full production run-rate in excess of 400,000oz, which is expected by the end of 2024.

Cost control was another highlight in a year dominated by the highest inflation rates in more than forty years. Despite this, total cash costs per ounce increased 6% to \$1,024/oz for 2022 compared to \$963/oz for 2021. The increase in AISC was limited to only 2% year-on-year to \$1,383/oz in 2022, from \$1,355/oz in 2021.

The exploration success of the previous three years continued, with the addition of 12.2Moz of Mineral Reserve, pre-depletion, during that period. This is the sixth consecutive year AngloGold Ashanti has achieved a positive net outcome.

The Company's Total Recordable Injury Frequency Rate ("TRIFR") of 1.26 injuries per million hours worked in 2022 improved compared to 2021, and remains far better than the average 2021 performance of 2.90 injuries per million hours worked by the members of the International Council on Metals and Minerals. No fatalities were recorded during the calendar year ended 31 December 2022 at the mines operated by the Company, for the second time in the Company's history.

Adjusted EBITDA was marginally lower at \$1.797bn in 2022, from \$1.801bn in 2021. The Company recorded free cash flow of \$657m in 2022, compared to \$104m in 2021. The balance sheet remained in a solid position after funding capital expenditure, two property acquisitions in Nevada and paying an interim dividend. There was approximately \$2.5bn in liquidity, including cash and cash equivalents of \$1.1bn, at year end.

2022 HIGHLIGHTS

Record safety result: TRIFR improved 41% year-on-year to 1.26 injuries per million hours worked; Zero fatalities at the mines operated by the Company

Improving grade profile, with 10% improvement over 2021, underpins operating fundamentals

Mineral Reserve increased 3.5Moz pre-depletion; 12.2Moz pre-depletion added over the last three years

Underlying cash cost improvement despite significant inflationary pressure across the industry; a clear demonstration of our continued progress to recovering our cost competitiveness

Free cash flow of \$657m; underpinned by cash distributions received from Kibali

Obuasi achieved production guidance of 250,000oz; Phase 3 on schedule for completion by year-end 2023

Declared Mineral Resource at North Bullfrog (1.5Moz), Mother Lode (1.7Moz) and Sterling (0.9Moz); Silicon added 0.8Moz

Consolidated our position in the Beatty district in Nevada through the completion of the Corvus Gold and Coeur Sterling acquisitions

Final dividend of ZAR322 cents per share (equivalent 18 US cents per share) declared; Full year dividend ZAR815 cents per share (equivalent 47 US cents per share)

SALIENT FEATURES FOR 2022

- Fatality-free 2022 at the mines operated by the Company; TRIFR of 1.26 injuries per million hours worked, which improved 41% versus 2.14 in 2021
- Cost increases held at about half the inflation rate; Total cash costs increased by 6% year-on-year from \$963/oz in 2021 to \$1,024/oz in 2022
- Guidance achieved for production, AISC and total capital expenditure; Total cash costs <1% above top end of guidance amid inflation at multi-decade highs
- Production increased by 11% year-on-year from 2.472Moz in 2021 to 2.742Moz in 2022, the upper half of guidance range
- Obuasi achieved production guidance of 250,000oz; Phase 3 on track for 2023 year-end completion
- Basic earnings decreased from \$622m in 2021 to \$297m in 2022 and included higher operating and exploration costs and impairments in Brazil
- AISC of \$1,383/oz in 2022, an increase of 2% year-on-year from \$1,355/oz in 2021, reflecting higher cash costs impacted by inflationary pressures
- Net cash inflow from operating activities increased by 42%, despite marginal lower gold price, to \$1,804m in 2022, from \$1,268m in 2021
- Free cash flow of \$657m in 2022; free cash flow before growth capital more than doubled to \$996m in 2022 from \$426m in 2021
- Adjusted net debt \$878m; Adjusted net debt to Adjusted EBITDA ratio of 0.49 times
- H2 2022 dividend of \$75m; 2022 full year dividend of \$194m

GROUP - Key statistics

		Six months ended Dec 2022	Six months ended Dec 2021	% Variance	Year ended Dec 2022	Year ended Dec 2021	% Variance
US Dollar / Imperial							
Operating review							
Gold							
Produced	- oz (000)	1,509	1,272	19	2,742	2,472	11
Sold	- oz (000)	1,484	1,269	17	2,717	2,483	9
Financial review							
Price received per ounce ⁽¹⁾	- \$/oz	1,726	1,792	(4)	1,793	1,796	—
Total cash costs per ounce ⁽¹⁾	- \$/oz	988	925	7	1,024	963	6
All-in sustaining costs per ounce ⁽¹⁾	- \$/oz	1,354	1,376	(2)	1,383	1,355	2
All-in costs per ounce ⁽¹⁾	- \$/oz	1,573	1,631	(4)	1,587	1,577	1
Gold income	- \$m	2,298	1,992	15	4,388	3,903	12
Cost of sales	- \$m	1,770	1,457	21	3,362	2,857	18
Total cash costs	- \$m	1,453	1,171	24	2,753	2,334	18
Gross profit	- \$m	570	607	(6)	1,133	1,172	(3)
(Loss) profit attributable to equity shareholders	- \$m	(1)	260	(100)	297	622	(52)
	- US cents/share	—	62	(100)	71	148	(52)
Headline earnings	- \$m	244	249	(2)	544	612	(11)
	- US cents/share	58	59	(2)	129	146	(12)
Profit before taxation	- \$m	82	451	(82)	489	958	(49)
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	- \$m	934	925	1	1,797	1,801	—
Net cash inflow from operating activities	- \$m	812	801	1	1,804	1,268	42
Free cash inflow ⁽¹⁾	- \$m	185	129	43	657	104	532
Total borrowings	- \$m	2,169	2,094	4	2,169	2,094	4
Adjusted net debt ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	- \$m	878	765	15	878	765	15
Adjusted net debt to Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	- times	0.49	0.42	17	0.49	0.42	17
Capital expenditure (including equity-accounted joint ventures)	- \$m	646	640	1	1,118	1,100	2

⁽¹⁾ Refer to "Non-GAAP disclosure" following the Preliminary Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2022 and the "Glossary of Terms" in the Company's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021, for definitions.

⁽²⁾ Includes \$152m acquisition cost for Coeur Sterling, Inc paid during Q4 2022 and \$145m received from Kibali during H2 2022.

\$ represents US Dollar, unless otherwise stated.

Rounding of figures may result in computational discrepancies.

Dividends

The directors of AngloGold Ashanti Limited (Registration Number 1944/017354/06) declared **Dividend No.126** for the year ended 31 December 2022 as detailed below. In terms of the withholding tax on dividends which became effective on 1 April 2012, the following additional information is disclosed:

Dividends have been declared out of total reserves	
Gross dividend declared per ordinary share in South African cents	322.00
Dividends tax rate applicable to shareholders liable to pay the dividend tax	20%
Net dividend in South African cents (where dividend tax at 20% is payable on payment date)	257.60000
The issued ordinary share capital of AngloGold Ashanti at date of declaration is	418,601,555
AngloGold Ashanti's tax reference number	9640006608

In compliance with the requirements of Strate, given the Company's primary listing on the JSE, the salient dates for payment of the dividend are as follows:

To holders of ordinary shares

2023	
Declaration date	Wednesday, 22 February
Currency conversion date for Australian dollars and Ghanaian cedis	Tuesday, 14 March
Last date to trade ordinary shares cum dividend	Tuesday, 14 March
Last date to register transfer of certificated securities cum dividend	Wednesday, 15 March
Ordinary shares trade ex-dividend	Wednesday, 15 March
Record date	Friday, 17 March
Payment date	Friday, 31 March

Dividends in respect of dematerialised shareholdings will be credited to shareholders' accounts with the relevant CSDP or broker.

To comply, with further requirements of Strate, share certificates may not be dematerialised or rematerialised between Wednesday, 15 March 2023 and Friday, 17 March 2023, both days inclusive. No transfers between South African, Australian and Ghana share registers will be permitted between Tuesday, 14 March 2023 and Friday, 17 March 2023, both days inclusive.

To holders of CHES Depositary Interests (CDIs)

Each CDI represents one-fifth of an ordinary share.

2023	
Last date to trade ordinary shares cum dividend	Tuesday, 14 March
Last date to register transfer of certificated securities cum dividend	Wednesday, 15 March
Ordinary shares trade ex-dividend	Thursday, 16 March
Record date	Friday, 17 March
Payment date	Friday, 31 March

To holders of American Depositary Shares (ADS)

Each American Depositary Share represents one ordinary share.

2023	
Ex dividend on New York Stock Exchange	Thursday, 16 March
Record date	Friday, 17 March
Approximate date of currency conversion	Friday, 24 March
Approximate payment date of dividend	Monday, 10 April

Assuming an exchange rate of R17.53/\$, the gross dividend payable per ADS, which is subject to a 20% South African withholding tax, is equivalent to c.18 US cents. However, the actual rate of payment will depend on the exchange rate on the date for currency conversion.

To holders of Ghanaian Depositary Shares (GhDSs)

100 GhDSs represent one ordinary share.

2023	
Last date to trade and to register GhDSs cum dividend	Wednesday, 15 March
GhDSs trade ex-dividend	Wednesday, 15 March
Record date	Friday, 17 March
Approximate payment date of dividend	Friday, 31 March

Assuming an exchange rate of R1/¢0.5954, the gross dividend payable per share, which is subject to a 20% South African withholding tax, is equivalent to c.1.91719 Ghanaian cedis. However, the actual rate of payment will depend on the exchange rate on the date for currency conversion.

This short form announcement (the "Announcement") is the responsibility of the board of directors of the Company, who certify that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, there are no facts that have been omitted which would make the information false, misleading or inaccurate, and that all reasonable enquiries to ascertain such facts have been made.

The Preliminary Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2022 have been reviewed by Ernst & Young Inc., who expressed an unmodified review conclusion. A copy of the auditor's review report is available for inspection at the Group's registered office, as well as on the Company's website at www.anglogoldashanti.com.

The details contained in this Announcement are only a summary of the information in the full announcement containing the detailed preliminary year-end results and therefore do not contain full details of the Company's financial position and results of operations or other relevant information about the business for the period under review. Investors and/or shareholders should base any investment decisions on consideration of the full Announcement and are therefore directed to the full announcement available for viewing via the JSE SENS link, provided below, and available on the Company's website at www.anglogoldashanti.com. The full announcement may be requested by emailing CompanySecretary@Anglogoldashanti.com or by phoning Yatish Chowthee on +27 11 637 6273 6273 and is available for inspection at the Company's registered office, 112 Oxford Road, Houghton Estate, 2198, and the offices of the Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, at no charge, during normal business hours.

The JSE link is as follows:

<https://senspdf.jse.co.za/documents/2023/jse/isse/anano/FYDec22.pdf>

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