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## **INCLUSION IN THE FTSE/JSE TOP 40 INDEX**

**Westonaria, 7 September 2016:** Sibanye (JSE: SGL & NYSE: SBGL) is pleased to inform shareholders that from 19 September 2016 it will be included in the FTSE/JSE Top 40 index, with an initial ranking at 34<sup>th</sup> position. This follows the September 2016 index review by the JSE.

Neal Froneman, CEO of Sibanye, commenting on the inclusion, said: "Sibanye's inclusion in the FTSE/JSE Top 40 index is a significant milestone. Considering the relatively short history since the Group listed in February 2013 with a market capitalisation of less than R10 billion, to now be recognised as one of the 40 largest companies listed on the JSE, is something I am extremely proud of and highlights the significant returns Sibanye has delivered to shareholders. Sibanye investors have received total returns from share price appreciation and dividends of over 350% in the last three and a half years, or a compound annual growth rate of over 50% per annum."

"Inclusion in the FTSE/JSE Top 40 Index is likely to provide further share price benefits as funds tracking the index, will be required to include Sibanye shares in their portfolios in future," Froneman concluded.

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These forward-looking statements, including, among others, those relating to Sibanye’s future business prospects, revenues and income, wherever they may occur in this document and the exhibits to this document, are necessarily estimates reflecting the best judgment of the senior management and directors of Sibanye, and involve a number of known and unknown risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results, performance or achievements of the Group to differ materially from those suggested by the forward-looking statements. As a consequence, these forward-looking statements should be considered in light of various important factors, including those set forth in this document. Important factors that could cause the actual results to differ materially from estimates or projections contained in the forward-looking statements include, without limitation: economic, business, political and social conditions in South Africa, Zimbabwe and elsewhere; changes in assumptions underlying Sibanye’s estimation of its current Mineral Reserves and Resources; the ability to achieve anticipated efficiencies and other cost savings in connection with past and future acquisitions, as well as at existing operations; the ability of Sibanye to successfully integrate acquired businesses and operations (whether in the gold mining business or otherwise) into its existing businesses; the success of Sibanye’s business strategy, exploration and development activities; the ability of Sibanye to comply with requirements that it operate in a sustainable manner; changes in the market price of gold, platinum group metals (“PGMs”) and/or uranium; the occurrence of hazards associated with underground and surface gold, PGMs and uranium mining; the occurrence of labour disruptions and industrial action; the availability, terms and deployment of capital or credit; changes in relevant government regulations, particularly environmental, tax health and safety regulations and new legislation affecting water, mining, mineral rights and business ownership, including any interpretations thereof which may be subject to dispute; the outcome and consequence of any potential or pending litigation or regulatory proceedings or other environmental, health and safety issues; power disruptions, constraints and cost increases; supply chain shortages and increases in the price of production inputs; fluctuations in exchange rates, currency devaluations, inflation and other macro-economic monetary policies; the occurrence of temporary stoppages of mines for safety incidents and unplanned maintenance; Sibanye’s ability to hire and retain senior management or sufficient technically skilled employees, as well as its ability to achieve sufficient representation of historically disadvantaged South Africans’ in its management positions; failure of Sibanye’s information technology and communications systems; the adequacy of Sibanye’s insurance coverage; any social unrest, sickness or natural or man-made disaster at informal settlements in the vicinity of some of Sibanye’s operations; and the impact of HIV, tuberculosis and other contagious diseases. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this document.

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