

# **Our Strategy**

Our goal is to develop our portfolio of existing gold assets and find, develop and selectively acquire gold projects in Turkey to grow our resource base and maximise profitable production.

This goal aims to capitalize on our position as the leading gold producer in Turkey, our hub operating strategy and our track record of successfully growing resources and production.

We also seek to provide leadership in safety, stewardship

of the environment, including responsible rehabilitation of the completed areas, and social responsibility to local communities.

Koza Gold is a leading Turkish gold mining company with a track record of sustained profitability underpinned by low costs. We produced 254 koz of gold in the first nine months of 2014 and generated revenues of TL 680.3 million.



# **Our Performance**

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Production	254 koz of gold (5.60 g/t) 116 koz of silver (4.21 g/t)	242 koz of gold (5.96 g/t) 125 koz of silver (4.68 g/t)
Cash Costs	\$455/oz	\$541/oz
Revenue	TL 680.3 million	TL 662.6 million
EBITDA	TL 419.3 million	TL 399.2 million
EBIT	TL 346.3 million	TL 329.0 million



## **About Us**

# A leading Turkish Gold producer

We are a leading Turkish gold mining company based on our gold production of approximately 253,668 ounces in the first nine months of 2014. As at 30 September 2014, we had 56 operating licenses and 299 exploration licenses throughout Turkey in the Aegean and Marmara regions, the Black Sea region and Central and Eastern Anatolia.

We currently own four operating mines: an underground mine at Ovacık, a mine in Çukuralan where we utilise both underground and open pit mining methods and an open pit mine at Kaymaz. Kaymaz new open pit operations could not be started because of required permit was not issued by Ministry of Environment. Currently, mill feed is done from stockpiles. After completion of phase 1 leach pad and ADR plant, test production has commenced and first gold was poured on 19th November 2013 at Himmetdede mine. Himmetdede crushing circuit construction was finished on 2nd quarter 2014. However, operation has not started yet. because the required permit was not issued by Ministry of Environment. Mastra operation was halted because of forestry and blasting permitting issues.





We have feasibility stage projects, Mollakara, located near Ağrı in the north-east of Turkey and projects in the middle of Turkey. In addition, our properties also include 15 exploration projects in Turkey, ranging from early-stage to advanced exploration prospects with resource estimations completed in 2014. At most of our exploration prospects, mapping and sampling programmes are ongoing or completed and drilling and geophysical surveys have already commenced or are planned for 2013. Additionally, we have identified several target exploration sites where the nature of the mineralised deposits suggests that there is potential for resource development.

# Exposure to the gold price and gold fundamentals

Substantially all of our revenues are generated from the production and sale of gold, and as a result our financial performance is, and will continue to be, influenced by the market price of gold. Between 1 January 2014 and 30 September 2014, the price of gold as quoted on the London Bullion Market ranged between a low of \$1,213.50 and a high of \$1,385.00 per ounce, based on the P.M. fixing price.





## We are a leading Turkish gold mining company

We are a leading Turkish gold mining company producing approximately 253,668 ounces of gold in the first nine months of 2014. Turkey has a rich mining history which dates back thousands of years and today is one of the few underexplored developed countries in the world. According to SRK, as of 2006 Turkey's gold endowment was estimated at 31.5 million ounces of gold contained in 51 deposits. SRK believes that there is promising potential for green field exploration in Turkey because over half of the known gold resources in Turkey are in relatively recent discoveries. "As of 2006, Turkey's gold endowment was estimated at 31.5moz gold contained in 51 deposits ... Since over half of the known gold resources in Turkey are in recent discoveries, there is great potential for greenfield exploration within Turkey." (SRK)

#### **Sector**

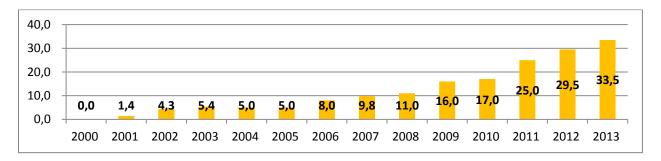
Changes in mining law Turkey, increasing gold price trend and developments in technology have led to the increase in gold potential in Turkey. Studies indicate that there are approximately 6500 tones of gold in Turkey. (Resource: Turkey's Gold Potential and Mining Resources Cutting Methods, Ayhan Erler, METU, Geology Department,1997) Only 10% of this, which is 650 tones, is classified as reserves. Therefore, when market's current situation is examined, it is seen that priority is given to gold exploration. "As per previous procedure, exploration license was to be issued for 3 years and extended for 2 years. It was required that this license was then to be changed to operational license. Under the new legal arrangements, total exploration period has been increased to 7 years. It covers 1 year for pre-exploration, 2 years for general exploration and 4 years for detailed exploration respectively."

With foregoing reasons, the competition in this sector has intensified on exploration activities. Koza Gold has been pursuing these two activities in parallel. In next three years, competition will be from domestic and foreign companies and intensify at West Anatolia. In the production areas, competition is expected to be from Eldorado (Tuprag, which is currently in production and Anatolia minerals (Alacer Gold, Cukurdere), currently in permitting stage. Domestic companies who are involved in exploration activities are thought to be starting production at later stages. Despite 6,500 tonnes of gold potential and 650 tonnes of reserves, Turkey only produces between 10 and 20 tonnes of gold and 250 -300 tonnes of gold need to be imported to meet the demand.

#### Company

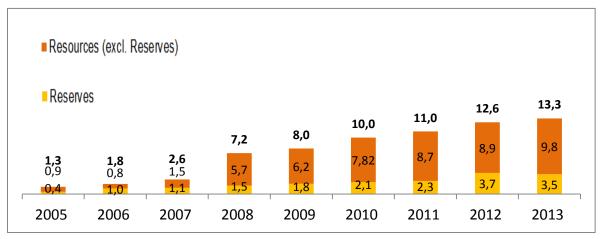
Koza Gold Operations Company is a Turkish company formed by 100% Turkish capital to explore and operate gold mines in our country. ATP Construction and Trade A.Ş. and Koza-Ipek Holding A.Ş. have acquired all the shares of from Normandy Mining A.Ş. and Newmont Mining Corporation Limited in 3 March 2005 thus becoming first Turkish company in the history of Republic of Turkey to realize gold production in this country. Company's Ovacik Gold Mine situated at Bergama, Izmir has been a key factor in turning the country's big gold potential into economical gain and it is the first gold mine operated in the Republic of Turkey.

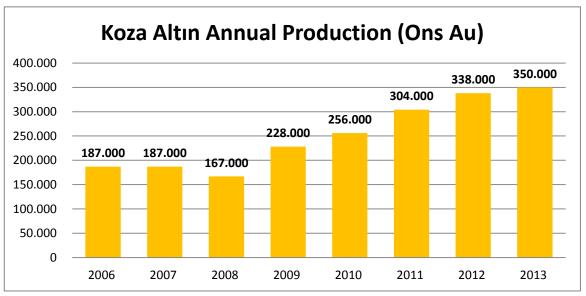
#### **TURKEY GOLD PRODUCTION (TONNES)**



# We have a track record of growing production, reserves and resources

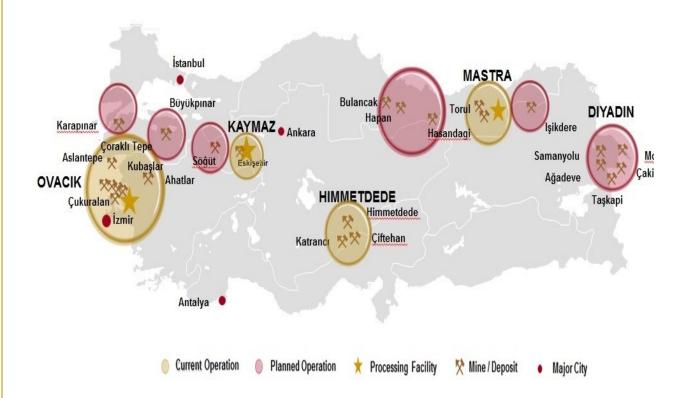
We have demonstrated an overall trend of growing production levels since our inception in 2005, and we believe that our mines, development projects and exploration prospects provide significant potential for continued growth. In 2005, we successfully restarted ore production at the Ovacık mine after acquiring it. We developed and brought into full production the Kucukdere mine in 2006, the Mastra mine in 2008, the Gıcık mine in 2009, Çukuralan mine in 2010 and Kaymaz mine in 2011. Kaymaz open pit facilities, which has 511,000 ounces of gold reserves, commenced the production in March 2011. As shown from the figure below, our gold production came from Ovacık between 2006 and 2008, Ovacık and Mastra between 2009-2010 and Ovacık, Mastra and Kaymaz from 2011 and 2012 and test production has started in November 2013 at Himmetdede. Since March 2005, we have successfully increased both our reserve and resource base as a result of acquisitions, exploration activities and the increase in gold prices. As at 31 December 2012, our total measured, indicated and inferred resource base had increased to 13.3 million ounces of gold from 1.8 million ounces, and our total proven and probable reserve base had increased to 3,5 million ounces of gold from 0,4 million ounces. As of 31 December 2007, 30 September 2009, 31 December 2010, 31 December 2011, 31 December 2012 and 31 December 2013, all of our reserves and resources were audited by SRK. It is planned to have an audit by SRK for the reserves and resources as of 31 December 2014.





# Our business model focuses on a regional hub strategy to maximise profitable production.

We are pursuing a strategy of using our processing facilities as hubs to process ore from regional deposits. We expect that this centralised processing will minimise our capital expenditure requirements, enabling us to develop relatively smaller deposits in each hub area that are high grade but not of sufficiently large scale to justify the construction of dedicated processing facilities. Our first application of this business model has been the development of the Ovacık hub and the Küçükdere deposit, located 80 km by road from the Ovacık processing plant. We plan to replicate this model for other deposits located in the vicinity of Ovacık, such as Çoraklık Tepe. In addition, we established a second processing hub at Mastra in 2009, third processing plant at Kaymaz in 2011. Our fourth process plant construction, Himmetdede, has started in 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2012. After completion of phase 1 leach pad and ADR plant, test production has commenced and first gold was poured on 19<sup>th</sup> November 2013 at Himmetdede mine. Himmetdede crushing circuit construction was finished on 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2014. After obtaining necessary permissions, production will be started.



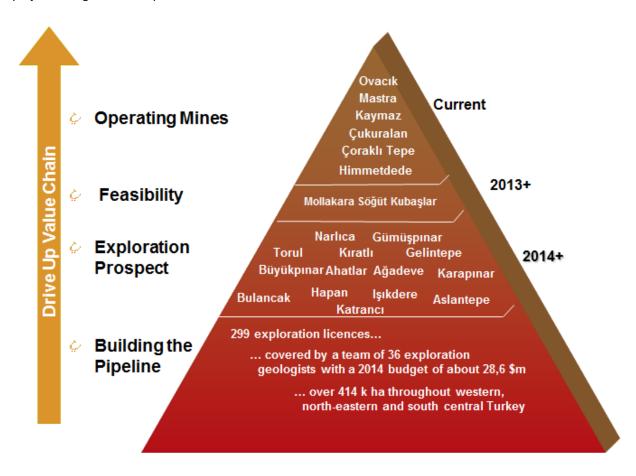
# Cash costs

Our unit cash costs derived from our accounts for the first nine months of 2014 and in the first nine months of 2013 amounted to 983 TL (\$455) and 1.008 TL (\$541) respectively. Compared to the previous year, the reason of this decrease is mainly because of the production performance due to increased average processed gold grade at Ovacık process plant.



# Turkey Highly Prospective: We have a significant pipeline of development and exploration assets in Turkey

We believe that our growth opportunities include the expansion of existing operations through discovery of additional resources adjacent to currently delineated deposits as well as the development of our pipeline of projects and greenfield exploration.



# Health and Safety

We are committed to the highest standards of safety and continuously seek to develop, improve and implement new safety programmes and procedures to protect the safety of our employees. We continuously improve the safety of our working conditions by implementing practices such as monthly workplace inspections and weekly safety committee meetings. We regularly conduct safety audits and assessment programmes to ensure the adequacy of our health and safety policies. We also strive to improve our employees' response to emergencies by maintaining an underground and a mine rescue team for each site. For example, at Ovacık and Çukuralan, we have two emergency response teams comprising of 11 and 13 employees respectively, and a mine rescue team comprising of 26 employees at Ovacık-Çukuralan sites. We believe we are currently in material compliance with all health and safety regulations. We pay specific attention to include in our subcontractor agreements clauses regarding health and safety measures and guidelines that are required to be followed by the contracting parties.





### **Environment**

Our environmental department is responsible for filing EIA reports with the MEF and ensuring that our operations comply with all applicable environmental laws and regulations.

The MEF considers several categories of environmental factors and compares the projected impact of the proposed mining activities to previously set environmental thresholds.

We ensure that our employees and contractors understand and comply with our environmental policies and management plans as well as our high level of commitment to environmental management. Our Environment Department at the same time has been providing training program since March 2007 on environmental awareness to all employees and as well as on environmental policies and implementations for newly recruited personnel at the mine site.

We have timely made all required emissions payments in full and have not faced any fines or penalties.

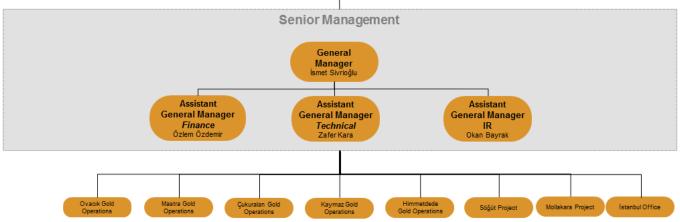
According to the Competent Person's Report, in the seven years since the mining of ore began at Ovacık, no claims have been made against us by any governmental entity in respect of environmental non-compliances. We believe that we are in material compliance with all relevant environmental laws and regulations.





# **Board & Management Structure**





#### **Board of Directors**

Hamdi Akın İpek Chairman
Cafer Tekin İpek Vice Chairman
Melek İpek Board member
Pelin Zenginer Board member

Işık Özpeker Independent Member Yusuf Köyce Independent Member

#### **Independent Auditor**

PWC

#### Company Management

İsmet Sivrioğlu General Manager

Zafer Kara Assistant General Manager-Technical Özlem Özdemir Assistant General Manager-Finance

Okan Bayrak Assistant General Manager-Investor Relations

Cemalettin Çetin Assistant General Manager-Security

Feridun Akyol Operation Manager
Ahmet Deniz Operation Manager
Deniz Beşir Operation Manager
Süleyman Akşit Project Manager

# Management

İsmet Sivrioğlu General Manager

Chemical Engineer with more than 40 years of experience in several production plants and management positions. Between 1970 and 1983, Mr.Sivrioğlu worked at the sulphuric acid, borax, asitboric and perborate plants of Etibank where he held numerous positions, including, as shift engineer, chief engineer and assistant general manager, technical. In 1984, he was appointed the general manager of Kütahya Silver Mine where he worked until 1994, supervising the plant's construction, commissioning and operational stages. He was promoted to Etibank Corporate and served as its assistant general manager between 1994 and 1998. During this time he also served as the chairman of the Board of Directors of Cayeli Copper Operations Inc. He served as the advisor to the Minister of State during 1997 and 1998. He joined Koza Gold in 1999 as the General Manager for community relations and government relations. Since 2005 he served as the General Manager of Koza Gold.

# Zafer Kara Assistant General Manager, Technical

He has served as Assistant General Manager responsible for Mining and Geology since march 2007, but has worked for all of our predecessor entities since 1988. He has more than 20 years of mining experience, including from Newmont and Normandy, as a mine and exploration geologist. Additionally, he has been involved in exploration projects in Iran, Kazakhstan, Ghana and Australia. He is a member of Australian Institute of Geoscientists.

# Özlem Özdemir Assistant General Manager, Finance and Commercial

She has Bachelor's degree in Business Administration and serves the Company as CFO since 2007. She has worked for all of the predecessor entities since 1996. She served Newmont as the Financial Controller being responsible for the preparation of the budgets, forecasts and financial reports in accordance with US GAAP and Turkish Accounting Standards.

# Cemalettin Çetin Assistant General Manager, Security

He serves as the Assistant General Manager in charge of security. He has held various management positions in the public and private sectors. He has held senior management positions at İpek since 2001. He obtained a Bachelor's degree in Mechanics.

#### Okan Bayrak

Assistant General Manager, Investor Relations

Okan Bayrak, an Assistant General Manager in charge of Investor Relations in our Company has graduated from the Department of Economics of Middle East Technical University in 1995. He joined the Capital Market Board as an Expert in the same year. He has held an office as an Expert at CMB Corporate Finance Department in May 1999. Between 2002 - 2003, he has participated in the covering stock training programs US exchange arrangements, financial institutions and capital markets at the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. On December, 2007, he started to work as a Deputy Head at the Department of Capital Market Board.

Okan Bayrak joined Koza Gold Operations as an Assistant General Manager in May 2010.

# **Financial Review**

- 254 koz of production in the first nine months of 2014 increased by 4.6% when compared to 242 koz in the first nine months of 2013. There is 16.8 koz of gold available for sale in our stocks as of 30 September 2014.
- TL 680.3 million of revenue in the first nine months of 2014 increased by 2.7% when compared to TL 662.6 million in the first nine months of 2013.
- TL 346.3 million of EBIT in the first nine months of 2014 increased by 5.2% when compared to TL 329.0 million in the first nine months of 2013.

#### Production

We are a leading Turkish Gold Mining Company based on gold production of approximately 253,668 ounces in the first nine months of 2014. As at September 30, 2014 we had 56 operating licences and 299 exploration licences throughout Turkey.

We currently have four processing plants. Our first processing plant at Ovacık has been operating since 2001. The plant is currently processing 900,000 tpa. In the first nine months of 2014 we produced 150.5 koz of gold and 62.4 koz of silver from Ovacık processing plant. Our second processing plant at Mastra has been commissioned in 2009. In the first nine months of 2014 we produced 16.2 koz of gold and 11.8 koz of silver from Mastra processing plant. Mastra operation was halted because of forestry and blasting permitting issues. Our third processing plant, Kaymaz, started production in September 2011. In the first nine months of 2014 we produced 83.3 koz of gold and 41.5 koz of silver from Kaymaz processing plant. Our fourth processing plant Himmetdede started production in 4th quarter 2013 and 3.7 koz of gold has been produced in 2014. We produced 253.7 koz of gold in total in the first nine months of 2014, 4.6% higher than the 242.5 koz of gold in the first nine months of 2013.

The increase in gold production in 2014 resulted principally from the fact that the average processed gold grade at Ovacık processing plant has risen (2014-9m: 7.64 g/t, 2013-9m: 5.39 g/t) and the tonnes crushed at Kaymaz processing plant (2014-9m: 583,469 t, 2013-9m: 368,222 t) have risen due to capacity increase. Also, Himmetdede process plant has started production in 4Q 2013.

#### Revenues

Our revenues for the first nine months of 2014, TL 680.3 million, is 2.7 % or 17.7 million TL higher than the TL 662.6 million for the first nine months of 2013. We sold 240,673 ounces of gold in the first nine months of 2014 compared to 242,484 ounces of gold in the first nine months of 2013. The average realized price per ounce for gold sold was TL 2,792.32 (\$1,290.48) in the first nine months of 2014 compared to TL 2,697.75 (\$1,446.69) in the first nine months of 2013. Furthermore, there is 16.8 koz of gold available for sale in our stock as of 30 September 2014.

#### Cost of sales

Our cost of sales increased by TL 1.7 million or 0.7 % to TL 248.5 million from TL 246.8 million in the first nine months of 2014. Royalty costs and state mining rights increased by TL 2.1 million, to TL 14.5 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 12.4 million in the first nine months of 2013. Staff costs increased by TL 4.0 million, or 13.0 % to TL 35.1 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 31.1 million in the nine months of 2013. This increase was mainly attributable to additional employees hired by us to Himmetdede which is newly being developed and to an overall increase in wages which was generally in line with inflation. Direct material costs decreased by TL 3.2 million, or 10.7 % to TL 26.1 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 29.3 million in the nine months of 2013. Maintenance costs decreased by TL 3.8 million, or 21.7 % to TL 13.5 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 17.3 million in the first nine months of 2013. Utilities increased by TL 0.7 million, or 4.4% to TL 16.2 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 15.5 million in the first nine months of 2013. Increases in energy expenditures has been mainly due to the expenses of Himmetdede plant and escalating unit prices of energy in 2014. Subcontractor costs decreased by 7.3 million TL, or 16.5% to TL 37.0 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 44.3 million in the first nine months of 2013.

Cash cost was 983 TL (US \$455) per ounce in the first nine months of 2014, and 1.008 TL (US \$541) per ounce in the first nine months of 2013. The reason of this decrease is mainly because of the production performance due to increased average processed gold grade at Ovacık process plant.

#### **Selling and Marketing Costs**

Our selling and marketing costs in the first nine months of 2014 increased by TL 0.23 million or 16.0 % to TL 1.65 million from TL 1.42 million in the first nine months of 2013.

#### **General Administrative Expenses**

Our general administrative expenses increased by TL 0.8 million, or 1.6 % to TL 53.5 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 52.7 million in the first nine months of 2013. Our personnel costs increased by TL 0.2 % to TL 21.7 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 21.6 million in the first nine months of 2013.

#### **Exploration Costs**

Exploration costs decreased by TL 8.1 million, or 38.5% to TL 12.9 million in the first nine months of 2014 from TL 21.0 million in the first nine months of 2013.

#### Net Profit for the Period

As a result of the foregoing, our net profit for the first nine months of 2014 decreased by TL 20.0 million, or 5.6 % to TL 338.8 million from TL 358.8 million in the first nine months of 2013. Our profit margin for the first nine months of 2014 decreased to 49.8% from 54.1% in the first nine months of 2013. This is mainly because of the decrease in gold prices. (2014 9m: \$1,290.48/oz –2013 9m: \$1,446.69/oz)

#### **Capital Expenditures**

We primarily incur capital expenditures to build new mines and processing plants, expand, upgrade and improve existing mines, processing plants, and related infrastructure, purchase mining and processing equipment to replace aged, inefficient, or obsolete machines and explore our licence areas for new resources. Furthermore, during 2012 we have performed land acquisitions related to Himmetdede project that we finished construction at 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2013. Our mining and non-mining capital expenditures for the nine months of 2014 are as below with comparison the three months of 2013. Because construction works and machine and equipment purchases has started in Himmetdede, there is an overall increase in the capital expenditures in 2013.

Thousands of TRY	2014 – 9m	2013 – 9m
Ovacık	2,247	6,017
Mastra	1,169	40,657
Kaymaz	6,265	20,685
Çukuralan	17,864	25,434
Himmetdede	59,181	162,996
Söğüt	6,416	2,521
Other	2,789	6,138
Total	95,931	264,448

#### Cash flow

Net cash generated from operating activities increased by TL 132.2 million or 25.0% to TL 990.9 million for the first nine months ended 30 September 2014 from TL 858.7 million for the nine months ended 30 September 2013. Earnings before tax increased by TL 39.6 million in the nine month period of 2014. Our corporate tax for the nine months of 2014 has increased to 88.6 M TL from 27.6 M TL due to the higher revenues in the nine months of 2014. (Average gold price for the first nine months of 2014 was TL 2,792.32 (\$1,290.48); average gold price for the first nine months of 2013 was TL 2,697.75 TL (\$1,446.69) Currently, we are financing our capital expenditures from cash that we are generating from operations.

	30 September	31 December 2013	30 September
RATIOS	2014	31 December 2015	2013
Net Sales	680,300	929,414	662,600
EBIT	346,289	446,570	329,037
EBITDA	419,260	558,166	399,194
Net profit	338,804	497,973	358,762
EBITDA Margin	61.6%	60.1%	60.2%
Liquidity Ratios	13.3	12.7	10.6
Current Ratio	11.1	11.4	9.5
Quick Ratio	10.7	10.8	9.0
Cash ratio			
Financial Leverage Ratios			
Debt Ratio	0.1	0.1	0.1
Debt-to-Equity Ratio	0.1	0.1	0.1
Profitability Ratios			
Return On Equity	0.2	0.3	0.2
Return On Assets	0.2	0.3	0.2
EBIT/Sales	0.5	0.5	0.5
Net profit/Sales	0.5	0.5	0.5

#### **Investment Policy**

Exploration activities of the Company consist of exploring new gold and silver deposits, calculating resources by sampling and modelling; and directing the pre-production process for the areas that are economically feasible. Company's exploration team is continuously exploring the potential areas. In case of any positive result, the Company applies for an exploration licence, and the exploration team is sampling and modelling the licenced area. All the samples taken are analyzed by the Company and by the international consultants for resource calculation. If any economically feasible resource deposit is explored, the produciton is planned by a construction of a new process plant or by processing the ore in the nearest hub.

#### **Dividend Policy**

Our company firstly aims to grow in present areas of production and operational facilities, to make strategic investments in new gold fields and to weigh on exploration activities within current exploration licenses. Within this framework, our Company has been targeting to meet all these investments by cash inflow derived from production areas

Within the framework of strategically targets, growth trend, investment policies, profitability and cash status and the provisions of Turkish Trade Act, Capital Market Regulations, Taxation Regulation and relevant clause of our principal contract related to the distribution of profit, Our Company will pay the dividend in the form of cash and/or unpaid shares in minimum proportion of it as basically specified by the Capital Market Board. The dividend, which will be distributed in pursuant to the decision to be taken at General Board meeting may be paid in full or in the form of unpaid shares or be determined to be as partially in cash and unpaid shares.

It is always possible for the Board of Directors to decide proportion of profit distribution to be above the minimum ratio and submit this to the General Board for the approval.

Payments of dividend were made within the legal period based on the articles of associations and the decisions taken at the General Board Meetings which were held on 31 March 2014 and 01 September 2014.

#### Financial Risk Management

#### Liquidity risk

Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and cash equivalents, the availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities and the ability to close out market positions. Due to the dynamic nature of the underlying businesses, existing and prospective debt requirements, the Group treasury aims to maintain flexibility in funding by keeping committed credit lines available. The ability to fund the existing and prospective debt requirements is managed by maintaining the availability of adequate committed funding lines from high quality lenders.

In addition, the Group's liquidity management policy involves projecting cash flows, considering the level of liquid asset, monitoring balance sheet liquidity ratios against the budgets, maintaining debt financing plans. Cash flow forecasting is performed for each operating mines and aggregated by the Group treasury and finance. Such forecasting takes into consideration the Group's financing plans.

#### Foreign exchange risk

As the Group's trade receivables are mainly denominated in USD, foreign exchange risk arises when future commercial transactions or recognised assets or liabilities are denominated in a currency that is not the Group's functional currency. The price in global gold market predominately is USD which also exposes the Group to the foreign exchange risk. The Group is exposed to foreign exchange risk through the impact of rate changes on translation into TL of foreign currency denominated assets and liabilities. These risks are monitored by analysis of the foreign currency position.

#### Price risk

The main operational risk is derived from gold price risk. Gold price risk arises from the risk of an adverse effect on current or future earnings resulting from fluctuations in the price of gold. The profitability of the Group's operations, and the cash flows generated by those operations, are affected by changes in the market price of gold, such that a fall in the price of gold relative to the Group's operating cost of production for any period may lead to a decrease in operational profitability of the Group. The Group does not anticipate that prices in global gold markets will decrease significantly in the foreseeable future, and therefore, has not entered into derivative or other contracts to manage the risk of a decline in prices in global gold markets. Furthermore, the Group reviews its outlook for the market prices regularly in considering need for active financial risk management. This risk is closely monitored by analysis of the prices in global gold markets.

#### Interest rate risk

Borrowings issued at variable rates and other interest bearing liabilities expose the Group to cash flow interest rate risk which is partially offset by interest bearing assets. The interest rate risk is partially managed through the balancing of assets and liabilities that are responsive to the fluctuations in interest rates.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, deposits in banks and financial institutions, as well as credit exposures to customers, including outstanding receivables and committed transactions. Risk control assesses the credit quality of the customer, taking into account its financial position, past experience and other factors. As the Group sells the dores to only refineries, one in Turkey other in Europe, with a maturity of less than one month, the credit risk for the Group is very low. The Group management, in line with the past experiences, there were never defaults or delays in payments, thus, believes that the credit risk is well managed and monitored effectively and credit risk is limited to carrying amounts of the financial assets.

#### Personnel

Personnel details are below:

				2014
Faaliyet Alanı	2011	2012	2013	Q3
Ovacık Exploration	46	78	60	71
Ovacık Production	116	106	101	84
Ovacık Other	169	176	184	183
Head Office	106	130	130	132
Mastra Mine Geology	22	25	15	3
Mastra Production	136	144	172	33
Mastra Other	119	128	105	51
Kaymaz Mine Geology	17	16	29	23
Kaymaz Production	40	50	57	56
Kaymaz Other	84	110	126	117
Cukuralan Mine Geology	18	18	21	22
Cukuralan Production	79	83	81	83
Cukuralan Other	72	90	98	93
Himmetdede Mine Geology	-	-	15	21
Himmetdede Production	-	-	108	121
Himmetdede Other	-	-	45	99
Söğüt	-	-	22	21
Çoraklıtepe	-		26	19
TOTAL	1,024	1,154	1,395	1,232

#### Incentives

The Province of Gumushane where Mastra Gold Mine is situated has been one of the provinces which are covered under Investment and Employment Incentive Act 5084. We also benefit from Employer incentive premium applied within the same Act.

For all our workplaces, we benefit 5% employer premium incentive based on the Act 5510.

Incentive certificates, by which we benefited from reduced corporate tax in the year 2014 are as follows:

At Çukuralan, as 10% of the investment has been completed as at 31.12.2010 for investment granted with Incentive Certificate, contribution rate to investment is 20% and corporate tax reduction rate is 50%. For the first incentive certificate, the investment completion visa was arranged at 12.02.2014 for the purchases that had been made to the date of 27.06.2013.

In relation with the first investment visa at Çukuralan, benefiting from support for employer's share of insurance premium for 199 persons started.

A new certificate application has been made, which comprises both Ovacık and Çukuralan purchases that will be made beginning from 28.06.2013, and the certificate was granted at 24.07.2013. Because 10% of the certificate has been spent by the end of 2013, application for visa for start of investment has been made at 16.04.2014 and certificate was granted at 25.12.2012. Corporate tax reduction rate will be %80 and contribution rate to investment will be 40%.

In relation with the first investment visa at Kaymaz, benefiting from support for employer's share of insurance premium for 168 persons started.

For the second certificate issued as the result of capacity increase at Kaymaz, application has been made, which comprises all investments beginning from 13.08.2012, and certificate was granted at 25.12.2012. Because 10% of investment was spent by the end of 2013, application for a visa of start of investment has been made to the Ministry of Economy at 26.09.2014. As 10% of the investment has been completed as at 31.12.2013, contribution rate to investment will be 40% and corporate tax reduction rate will be 80%.

For Himmetdede project, Certificate of Incentive has been granted at 17.12.2013, which comprises all investments that have been made beginning from the date of 29.03.2013. Because Himmetdede is being classified as a strategic investment, we will be benefiting from following supports without the need of visa for start of investment as in other certificates. The corporate tax reduction rate will be 90% and contribution rate to investment will be 50%.

In addition to the above mentioned incentive certificates, the Company has been working on the new incentive certificates within "Decree on Investment Grants by State" which came into force on 15 December 2012 by decree of the Cabinet of Ministers no: 2012/3305.

#### Events after date of Balance Sheet

A Joint Venture agreement was signed between our affiliated partner Koza Ltd and Lonmin Plc., affiliate of Lonmin (Northern Ireland) to carry out gold and silver exploration activities in Northern Ireland. Within this agreement, mine exploration, geological works and financing these works will be conducted in the region.

Upon completion of these works, Koza Ltd will initially have 50% of the shares in the company, which will be set up to develop and/or operate the mine. There is an option to increase this amount upto 75%.

#### Changes in the Articles of Association

None available.

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2014 and 31 DECEMBER 2013

(Amounts are expressed in thousands of Turkish Lira ("TL") unless otherwise indicated)

#### **30 September 2014 31 December 2013**

#### **ASSETS**

Cash and Cash Equivalents       990.922       940.727         Trade Receivables       1.470       63         - Trade Receivables From Related Parties       1.470       63         - Trade Receivables From Non-Related Parties       441       243         Other Receivables       -       3         - Other Receivables From Related Parties       -       3         - Other Receivables From Non-Related Parties       21.052       41.657         Inventories       201.294       117.403         Prepaid Expenses       9.998       8.128         Other Current Assets       5.202       3.672         Non-Current Assets       664.278       741.374         Investment Properties       19.776       20.083         Property, Plant and Equipment       588.483       609.331         Intangible Assets       902       1.373         - Goodwill       14.017       14.017         - Other Intangible Assets       902       1.373         Prepaid Expenses       29.232       91.037         Deferred Tax Assets       11.337       5.039         Other Non-Current Assets       531       494	Current Assets	1.230.379	1.111.896
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TOTAL ASSETS	1.894.657	1.853.270

#### **CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS**

#### AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2014 and 31 DECEMBER 2013

	30 September 2014	31 December 2013
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities	92.703	87.317
Trade Payables		
- Trade Payables to Related Parties	382	4.591
- Trade Payables to Other Parties	19.509	42.263
Employee Benefit Obligations	2.410	2.567
Other Payables		
- Other Payables to Related Parties	14	14.752
Current Income Tax Liabilities	26.882	-
Derivative Financial Instruments	3.703	-
Provisions		
- Provisions due to employee benefits	9.064	2.313
- Other provisions	17.671	16.881
Other Current Liabilities	13.068	3.950
Non-Current Liabilities	79.566	72.666
Other Payables		
- Other Payables to Non-Related Parties	12.535	11.738
Long-term Provisions		
- Provisions for employee benefits	2.764	2.725
- Other long-term provisions	64.267	58.203
TOTAL LIABILITIES	172.269	159.983
EQUITY	1.722.388	1.693.287
Paid-in Share capital	152.500	152.500
Inflation Adjustment to Share Capital	3.579	3.579
Other comprehensive income/expense not to be	5.5.5	
reclassified to profit or loss	(673)	(646)
- Actuarial Loss On Defined Benefit Plans	(673)	(646)
Other comprehensive income/expense to be reclassified to profit or	(0.0)	(0.0)
loss	3.378	-
- Foreign currency translation differences	3.378	-
Legal Reserves	120.654	89.264
Retained earnings	1.104.146	950.617
Net Period Income	338.804	497.973
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	1.894.657	1.853.270

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIODS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014 and 2013

	1 January - 30 September 2014	1 July - 30 September 2014	1 January - 30 September 2013	1 July - 30 September 2013
Revenue	680.300	187.994	662.600	250.835
Cost of Sales	(248.553)	(67.281)	(246.885)	(96.398)
Gross Profit	431.747	120.713	415.715	154.437
General Administrative Expenses	(53.509)	(17.359)	(52.689)	(17.972)
Exploration Costs	(12.943)	(4.085)	(21.050)	(7.859
Selling and Marketing Costs	(1.648)	(516)	(1.421)	(620
Other Operating Income	5.936	811	21.396	16.16
Other Operating Expense	(23.294)	(15.929)	(32.914)	(20.752
Operating Profit	346.289	83.635	329.037	123.40
Income from Investment Activities	44.799	3.804	50.144	18.68
Expense from Investment Activities	(3.703)	(3.703)	-	
Operating Profit before Financial Income	387.385	83.736	379.181	142.08
Financial Income	63.609	46.135	4.907	1.31
Financial Expenses	(29.868)	(7.298)	(2.578)	(722
Profit Before Taxation On Income from Continuing				
Operations	421.126	122.573	381.510	142.67
Taxation on Income from Continuing Operations	(82.322)	(22.886)	(22.748)	(10.627
- Income Tax Expense	(88.613)	(27.687)	(27.586)	(13.050
- Deferred Tax Income	6.291	4.801	4.838	2.42
Net Income for the Period From Continuing Operations	338.804	99.687	358.762	132.05
Discontinued Operations Net Profit after tax from discontinued operations	-	-	-	
Net Income for the Period	338.804	99.687	358.762	132.05
Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss)				
Items not to be reclassified to profit or loss in				
subsequent periods	(27)	(5)	(85)	
Actuarial Loss On Defined Benefit Plans	(34)	(6)	(106)	
Tax effect of other comprehensive income not to				
be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent				
periods	7	1	21	
- Deferred Tax Effect	7	1	21	
Items to be reclassified to profit or loss in	3.378	F 4F0		
subsequent periods Currency translation differences	<b>3.378</b> 3.378	<b>5.159</b> 5.159	-	
Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss)	3.351	5.154	(85)	
Total Comprehensive Income	342.155	104.841	358.677	132.05
Earnings Per Share	2,2217	0,6537	2,3525	0,865

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIODS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014 AND 2013

	1 January - 30 September 2014	1 January - 30 September 2013
Cash flows from operating activities:	2011	20.0
Profit for the period	338.804	358.762
Adjustments to reconcile period profit to net cash generated from operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortisation	117.062	80.621
Interest and other financial income	(43.964)	(50.108)
Interest and other financial expenses	537	371
Provision for employee termination benefit	4.744	1.136
Adjustments to income realizations of derivative transactions	3.703	0
Provision for royalty and state mining right	11.793	11.139
Exploration costs	12.943	21.050
Provision for employment benefits	6.751	5.241
Provision for environmental rehabilitation,		
reclamation of mining areas	5.109	4.137
and mine closure Gain from sales of property, plant and	5.109	4.137
equipment and intangible assets - net	(948)	(230)
Adjustments to tax expense	82.322	22.748
Taxes paid	(61.731)	(37.577)
Unrealized foreign exchange expenses	4.443	1.472
Net cash generated before changes in working capital		
Changes in working capital		
Increase in inventories	(83.891)	(23.510)
Decrease in due from the related parties- trade receivables	(1.407)	(2.756)
Increase /(decrease) in other receivables, assets and prepaid expenses	13.575	(24.089)
Increase in trade receivables	(198)	(52)
Decrease in trade payables	(22.541)	13.558
Decrease in due to the related parties- trade receivables	(4.209)	(5.568)
Increase in other short and long term liabilities	(5.575)	(13.838)
Payment for rehabilitation activies	(2.325)	(972)
Payment for exploration activities	(13.156)	(20.915)
Employment benefits paid	(4.705)	(623)
Foreign exchange (losses)/gains on cash and cash equivalents	23.283	6.505
Net cash generated from operating activities	380.419	346.502
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Interest received	47.593	50.773
Purchases of property, plant and equipment and		
order advances given	(27.342)	(282.947)
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment and intangibles	1.137	404
Decrease in other liabilities due to the acquisition of subsidiaries	(14.738)	404
Net cash used in investing activities	6.650	(231.770)
Cash flows from financing activities:	0.000	(=0 10)
Redemption of bank borrowings	_	(6.859)
Interest paid	(537)	(420)
Dividends paid	(313.054)	(169.799)
Net cash used in financing activities	(313.591)	(177.078)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	73.478	(62.346)
Foreign exchange gains/ (losses) on cash and cash equivalents	(23.283)	(6.505)
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	50.195	(68.851)
Cash and cash equivalents as of 01 January	940.727	927.526
Cash and cash equivalents as of 30 September	990.922	858.675

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE PERIODS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014 AND 2013

			Other Comprehensive income items not to be reclassified to profit or loss	Other Comprehensive income items to be reclassified to profit or loss	_	Retained e	earnings	
	Paid-in Share Capital	Adjustment to Share Capital	Actuarial Loss On Defined Benefit Plans	Currency Translation Differences	Restricted reserves allocated from profits	(Accumulated losses) /Retained earnings	Net Period Income	Total Equity
1 January 2013 - as previously reported	152.500	3.579	-	-	73.044	528.759	642.124	1.400.006
Changes in accounting policies	-	-	(390)	-	-	(10.225)	(24.022)	(34.637)
1 January 2013 - as restated	152.500	3.579	(390)	-	73.044	518.534	618.102	1.365.369
Transfers	-	-	-	-	-	618.102	(618.102)	-
Separation of Restricted Legal Reserve	-	-	-	-	16.220	(16.220)	-	-
Dividend Payment	-	-	-	-	-	(169.799)	-	(169.799)
Total Comprehensive Income	<del>-</del>	-	(85)	-	-	-	358.762	358.677
30 September 2013 - as restated	152.500	3.579	(475)	-	89.264	950.617	358.762	1.554.247
1 January 2014	152.500	3.579	(646)	-	89.264	950.617	497.973	1.693.287
Transfers	-	-	-	-	-	497.973	(497.973)	-
Separation of Restricted Legal Reserve	-	-	-	-	31.390	(31.390)	-	-
Dividend Payment	-	-	-	-	-	(313.054)	-	(313.054)
Total Comprehensive Income	-	-	(27)	3.378	-	-	338.804	342.155
30 September 2014	152.500	3.579	(673)	3.378	120.654	1.104.146	338.804	1.722.388

# **Operational Review**

 242 koz gold production in the first nine months of 2013, 254 koz gold production in the first nine months of 2014.

We currently own four operating mines: an Underground mine at Ovacık, a mine at Çukuralan where we utilise both underground and open pit mining methods and an open pit mine in Kaymaz. Himmetdede project construction has started in 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2012. After completion of phase 1 leach pad and ADR plant, test production has commenced and first gold was poured on 19th November 2013 at Himmetdede mine. Himmetdede crushing circuit construction was completed on 2nd quarter 2014. After obtaining necessary permissions, production will be started. Our mining operations at Küçükdere, an open pit mine located 80 km from the Ovacık Mine, completed in March 2010. Rehabilitation works has been completed and the area has been returned to Ministry of Forestry.

We have feasibility stage projects, Mollakara, located near Ağrı in the north-east of Turkey and projects in the middle of Turkey. In addition to this, and within our own properties, we have 15 projects ranging from early developed to exploration stages with resources estimates have been completed. We are currently focused on developing our resources in the exploration areas at Ovacık, Mastra, Kaymaz, Çukuralan, Himmetdede, Söğüt, and Diyadin.







#### **Mining Operations**

#### Ovacık

The Ovacık mine is located near Ovacık village in western Turkey, approximately 100 km north of İzmir. It is an underground complex. Material from the open pit operation was depleted in December 2007. The open pit has been partially backfilled and no further production is currently planned. The current underground ore reserves give operations at Ovacık an expected lifespan through the end of January 2018; however drilling is currently being undertaken with the aim of increasing the ore reserve at depth to extend the mine life.

The table below presents an overview of our mining operations at the Ovacık mine:

	2014 Jan-Sep	2013 Jan-Sep
Ore mined (t)	76.748	117.082
Underground (t)	76.748	117.082
Au average head grade (g/t)	8,80	4,75
Ag average head grade (g/t)	6,57	4,06

The table below presents an overview of our processing operations at Ovacık (including processing ore from Çukuralan and Çoraklıktepe):

	2014 Jan-Sep	2013 Jan-Sep
Ore milled (t)	646.729	656.354
Recovery rate, Au %	95,09%	95,30%
Au Grade (g/t)	7,64	5,39
Au poured (oz)	150.503	105.445
Ag poured (oz)	62.437	47.507

The Ovacık processing plant is our regional processing hub for ore located in the Ovacık area. It is currently operating mainly on feed from the Çukuralan ore stockpile along with some materials from the Ovacık underground and Çoraklıktepe open pit. Ore production at Çukuralan project's open pit and underground site commenced in the last quarter of 2010 and in August 2011 respectively. Also, Çoraklıktepe ore has been processed at Ovacık mill since May 2013.



#### Mastra

Our mining operations at Mastra are located 80 km south of the Black Sea, in northeastern Turkey. Mastra comprises both open pit and underground mining operations. Mining operations at the Mastra main open pit was completed in December 2011. New open pit activities have been started in 2012 and completed in January 2014. Also, Mastra North open pit production has not been started because of forestry permits not issued. In 2012, second underground mining operation started with an underground contractor. Mastra process plant commenced operations in 2009. Ore feed is done from Mastra OP and UG mines and from Çoraklıktepe mine. Current capacity is 45.000 tpm.

Due to forestry permitting issues of 2. TSF of Mastra project, process plant feed was stopped on February 28<sup>th</sup> 2014. On 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2014, Mastra mine blasting permit was expired and it is not renewed. As a result of this issue, Mastra underground production was stopped on 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2014.

The table below presents an overview of our mining operations at the Mastra mine:

	2014 Jan-Sep	2013 Jan-Sep
Ore mined (t)	125.099	312.381
Open pit (t)	4.173	66.235
Underground (t)	120.926	246.146
Au average head grade (g/t)	6,02	6,15
Ag average head grade (g/t)	5,61	5,87

The table below presents an overview of our processing operations at Mastra:

	2014 Jan-Sep	2013 Jan-Sep
Ore milled (t)	87.077	384.716
Recovery rate, Au %	90,96%	93,51%
Au Grade (g/t)	4,99	5,25
Au poured (oz)	16.200	58.204
Ag poured (oz)	11.814	25.203



#### Çukuralan

Çukuralan is in the Ovacık area and is located approximately 40km northwest of the Ovacık mine. This exploration property is low sulfidation, epithermal gold vein system. Since 2005, we performed extensive work on the project, including detailed mapping, stream sediment and soil sampling, resulting in identification of a vein system. Open pit mining ore at Çukuralan started in last quarter of 2010. Underground acitivities started on February 2011 and ore production began on August 2011. The ore is transported 40 km on trucks to the Ovacık processing plant. The project Environmental Impact Assessment(EIA) report was issued in September 2009 and the relevant EIA affirmative certificate has been granted to begin deforestration of the pit area. We are following the Küçükdere model for grade control, contract mining and stockpile management.

	2014	2013
	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep
Ore mined (t)	630.400	450.625
Open pit (t)	494.060	351.008
Underground (t)	136.340	99.617
Au average head grade (g/t)	8,19	6,27
Ag average head grade (g/t)	4,38	3,84

We are transporting high grade and run-of-mine ores to the Ovacik processing plant based on demand and stockpiling surplus low grade material for processing at a later date. The current production schedule is based on a 50,000 tpm total mining rate with a stripping ratio of 13:1 (waste:ore). Also, 16,000 tpm production is planned from underground operations.

#### Kaymaz

The Kaymaz project is located in north western Turkey, approximately 150 km from Ankara. The Kaymaz deposits comprise a number of different minerilasation styles, including manto-type mineralisation, quartz stock works, quartz veinlets and episodic brecciation adjacent to the granite dike. Open Pit mining at our Kaymaz Project started in March 2011. Kaymaz operation has 4 different open pit areas, that are Damdamca, Mainzone, Mermerlik and Kızılağıl. We have elected to use a processing plant flowsheet and design almost identical to those installed at Ovacık and Mastra.

Mainzone (Karakaya) open pit production was stopped by government authorities on March 13<sup>th</sup> 2014 as reported in press release. Mine production continued from Damdamca zone and in April 2014, Damdamca open pit was completed. Koza sued the government authorities decision and got a motion for stay of execution. However, the temporary working permit needs to be granted by Ministry of Environment to start

open pit operations at Karakaya area. Current mill feed is done from stockpiles and the table below presents an overview of our mining operations at the Kaymaz mine:

	2014	2013
	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep
Ore mined (t)	209.092	503.887
Open pit (t)	209.092	503.887
Au average head grade (g/t)	5,71	6,62
Ag average head grade (g/t)	3,79	6,27

The table below presents an overview of our processing operations at Kaymaz:

	2014	2013
	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep
Ore milled (t)	583.469	368.222
Recovery rate, Au %	85,57%	85,07%
Au Grade (g/t)	4,98	7,72
Au poured (oz)	83.254	78.810
Ag poured (oz)	41.493	52.350

#### Söğüt

About 70,000 tonnes of ore trial pit production will be done in Söğüt project in 2013. According to this plan, open pit trail production has started in March 2013 and completed in July 2013. The ore is being transferred to the Kaymaz site and was started to be processed at Kaymaz mill.

Tests works are ongoing for the main production of the Söğüt project.

The table below presents an overview of our mining operations at the Söğüt mine:

	2014	2013
	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep
Ore mined (t)	43.984	68.375
Open pit (t)	43.984	68.375
Au average head grade (g/t)	3,75	5,00
Ag average head grade (g/t)	1,40	1,36

#### Çoraklıktepe

Çoraklıktepe open pit production has started in March 2013 and completed in June 2014. Open pit backfilling has started in June 2014.

The table below presents an overview of our mining operations at the Çoraklıktepe mine:

	2014	2013
	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep
Ore mined (t)	147.357	303.994
Open pit (t)	147.357	303.994
Au average head grade (g/t)	4,61	5,26
Ag average head grade (g/t)	10,56	8,09

#### **Construction Projects**

#### Himmetdede

The Himmetdede project was discovered by Koza. The property is identified as thrust related low sulfidation epithermal mineralization. Drilling works are underway for testing the proven areas which were found by geophysical methods carried on the region. All of the required technical performances and ensuring the permits have come to an end. Also, open pit production equipments have been ordered.

Operations for possible ore enrichment methods on gold extraction according to the deposit's tenor and mineralogy are still in progress. As in Mollakara project, Himmetdede project will also have a central processing plant to cover nearby deposits. In 2010, first phase operations of the rock mechanics for Himmetdede Project has been completed. Required metallurgical tests and process designing have been completed by McClelland company in USA. The pre-feasibility works of the Heap Leach facility has been completed by SRK, and final phase design studies are in progress. The EIA report has been granted in March 2012 and about 90% of the land acquisitions have been completed. As a result of the detailed prefeasibility performances, which were prepared by Koza and approved by SRK, Himmetdede reserve studies were completed in December 2012.

Process plant and leach pad constructions started in 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2012. After completion of phase 1 leach pad and ADR plant, test production has commenced and first gold was poured on 19th November 2013 at Himmetdede mine. Himmetdede crushing circuit construction was finished on 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2014. All required permit schedule was completed on June 9<sup>th</sup> 2014. However, the Ministry of Environment has not issued temporary permit to start operations since that date.

Himmetdede ore deposit offers very suitable conditions in terms of its location, land conditions and logistic capabilities and and other mining activities.

#### **Feasibility Projects**

#### Mollakara

The Mollakara Project is approximately 55 km southeast of Ağrı adjacent to the village of Mollakara and is located in Diyadin area in Eastern Anatolia. The Mollakara Project was held by Newmont between 2005 and 2008 but now it is fully held by Koza. Mineralisation at Mollakara is both structurally and lithologically controlled. This project is made up of two regions which are oxide and sulfate.

This is currently a focus for our exploration activities at Mollakara because there is a huge amount of expanding and improving potential of this site which is currently constituting most of our reserves. Even with the recent explorations, the ore quantity in the area is still not certain. That basically means the deposit may be suitable for expanding on every side. Exploration at Mollakara will include deeper drilling, additional mapping and resource modeling.

Depending on the grade and mineralogy of the deposit, heap leaching is likely to be used for gold extraction. We plan to set up heap leach facility at Mollakara to serve as a central processing plant for other nearby deposits as well. We have already started the works on Mollakara project including pre-feasibility. The works carried out by SGS and the first stage of rock mechanics were completed.

#### **Overseas Projects**

A company titled with "Koza Gold Ltd", based in England and wholly owned subsidiary of Koza Gold Operations Inc. was established to undertake mining activities abroad on 31 March 2014. Koza Ltd and Lonmin Pty Ltd, an affiliate of Lonmin (Northern Ireland) have signed a Memorandum of Understanding for gold and silver exploration activities in Northern Ireland on 26 May 2014.

## Reserves and Resources

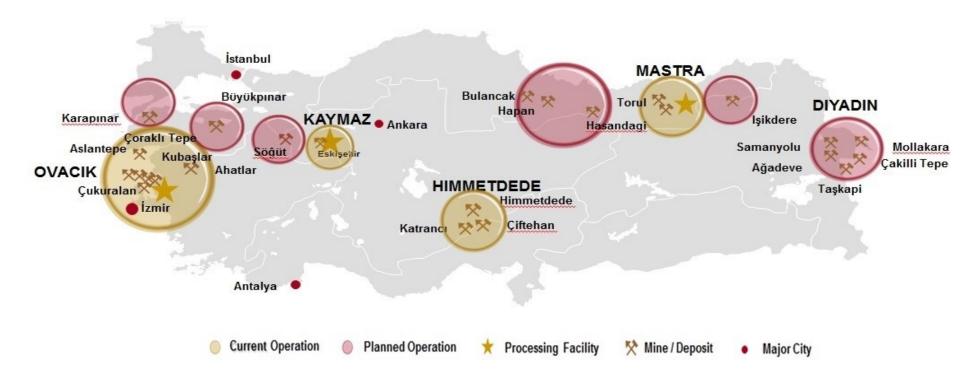
As 30 September 2014, we had 56 operating licences and 299 exploration licences throughout Turkey in the Aegean and Marmara regions, the Black Sea region and Central and Eastern Anatolia.

We have feasibility stage projects, Mollakara, located near Ağrı in the north-east of Turkey and projects in the middle of Turkey. In addition our properties also include 15 exploration projects in Turkey, ranging from early-stage to advanced exploration prospects with resource estimations completed in 2009. At most of our exploration prospects, mapping and sampling programmes are ongoing or completed and drilling and geophysical surveys have already commenced or are planned for 2013. Currently our exploration activities are focused on the expansion of resources surrounding our current and planned mining operations in Ovacık, Mastra and Kaymaz mine areas and in the Diyadin and Himmetdede exploration areas. Due to not issued forestry permissions, our exploration activities has been minimized.



As a result of acquisitions and exploration activities, from our inception in March 2005 to 31 December 2013 our total gold resource base increased more than sixfold to 13,3 million ounces from 1,3 million ounces. Over the same period, our total reserve base increased to 3,5 million ounces from 0,4 million ounces, also benefiting from increasing gold prices. Almost half of the resources consist of inferred material. Therefore, Koza is planning to utilize 8 rigs during the year to continue exploration programme and to convert the inferred resources into the higher confidence categories of measured and indicated allowing economic assessments to be made on the resources.





- ∠ A Hub strategy = a central processing plant, surrounded by satellite mining operations
- ∠ A Hub strategy is central to Koza Gold achieving its production and resource objectives
  - Enables profitable acquisition and development of smaller, high-grade deposits, Significantly reduces capital costs
- Lurkey remains largely untapped relative to regions with similar gold resource endowments
  - Combination of high-grade small deposits (e.g. epithermal veins) and lower grade large deposits (e.g. Porphyry)
- Koza Gold's local operating expertise is a distinct competitive advantage
  - The Ovacık Hub currently has one processing plant with two mining operations.
  - Our second processing plant is in operation at the Mastra Hub.
  - The third processing plant at Kaymaz started production on September 2011.
  - Construction of 4<sup>th</sup> processing plant Himmetdede was started in 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2012, and production will be commenced in 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2013.
  - 2 other potential areas for hubs have been identified Diyadin, Hapan.
- Our current operations are supported by a significant pipeline of development and exploration projects
- Proven track record of discovering resources, with the intention of continuing to explore our large portfolio and advanced projects

# **RESERVES**

**Total Proven and Probable Reserve** 

31 December 2013	Tonnage	Grade		Ounces	
Proven Reserve	kt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	(Au Toz)	(Ag Toz)
Ovacık Underground	424.9	4.64	3.04	63	41
Çukuralan Underground	4,182.2	4.73	1.56	636	210
Open Pit	2,336.9	4.96	1.60	373	120
Mastra Underground	232.4	4.97	3.73	37	28
Kaymaz	1,005.4	3.83	4.91	124	159
Ovacık Rom Stockpile	96.7	3.98	3.46	12	11
Kaymaz Rom Stockpile	327.1	5.07	4.65	53	49
Mastra Rom Stockpile	24.7	4.51	6.64	4	5
Çoraklık Rom Stockpile	154.7	2.93	5.29	15	26
Çukuralan Rom Stockpile	100.0	7.51	4.68	24	15
Ovacık Mill Emergency Stockpile	30.4	5.19	3.21	5	3
Kaymaz Mill Emergency Stockpile	21.0	7.19	2.50	5	2
Mastra Mill Emergency Stockpile	19.8	4.86	5.27	3	3
Himmetdede	7,239.1	0.63	0.00	146	0
Himmetdede Leach Pad	373.5	1.06	0.00	13	0
Himmetdede Rom Stockpile	21.0	1.31	0.00	1	0
Mollakara	3,528.6	0.87	0.24	99	27
Total Proven Reserve	20,135	2.50	1.09	1,616	702
31 December 2013	Tonnage	Grade		Ounces	
	Tonnage kt	Grade Au g/t	Ag g/t	Ounces (Au Toz)	(Ag Toz)
Probable Reserve			Ag g/t 1.47		
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground	kt	Au g/t		(Au Toz)	5
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground	kt 111.7	Au g/t 3.23	1.47	(Au Toz)	5 121
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit	kt 111.7 3,549.3	Au g/t 3.23 4.31	1.47 1.06	(Au Toz) 12 492	5 121 39
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7	Au g/t 3.23 4.31 5.44	1.47 1.06 1.69	(Au Toz) 12 492 125	5 121 39 22
Probable Reserve  Ovacık Underground  Çukuralan Underground  Open Pit  Mastra Underground  Open Pit	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8	Au g/t 3.23 4.31 5.44 4.64	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21	5 121 39 22 20
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6	Au g/t 3.23 4.31 5.44 4.64 2.26	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97	(Au Toz) 12 492 125 21 7	5 121 39 22 20 369
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2	Au g/t 3.23 4.31 5.44 4.64 2.26 5.07	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344	5 121 39 22 20 369 26
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4	Au g/t 3.23 4.31 5.44 4.64 2.26 5.07 5.59	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16	5 121 39 22 20 369 26
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile Kaymaz LG Stockpile	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7	Au g/t 3.23 4.31 5.44 4.64 2.26 5.07 5.59 1.39	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile Kaymaz LG Stockpile Mastra LG Stockpile	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7  12	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile Kaymaz LG Stockpile Mastra LG Stockpile	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8 265.8	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66  1.14	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56 3.12	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7  12  10	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48 27
Probable Reserve  Ovacık Underground  Çukuralan Underground  Open Pit  Mastra Underground  Open Pit  Kaymaz  Çoraklık Tepe  Ovacık LG Stockpile  Kaymaz LG Stockpile  Mastra LG Stockpile  Küçükdere LG Stockpile  Çukuralan LG Stockpile	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8 265.8 389.1	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66  1.14  1.36	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56 3.12 6.28	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7  12  10  17	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48 27 79
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile Kaymaz LG Stockpile Mastra LG Stockpile Küçükdere LG Stockpile Çukuralan LG Stockpile	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8 265.8 389.1 502.0	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66  1.14  1.36  0.84	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56 3.12 6.28 1.16	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7  12  10  17	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48 27 79 19
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile Kaymaz LG Stockpile Mastra LG Stockpile Küçükdere LG Stockpile Çukuralan LG Stockpile Kubaslar	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8 265.8 389.1 502.0 926.8	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66  1.14  1.36  0.84  2.31	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56 3.12 6.28 1.16 14.53	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7  12  10  17  14  69	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48 27 79 19
Probable Reserve Ovacık Underground Çukuralan Underground Open Pit Mastra Underground Open Pit Kaymaz Çoraklık Tepe Ovacık LG Stockpile Kaymaz LG Stockpile Küçükdere LG Stockpile Çukuralan LG Stockpile Kubaslar Sogut Himmetdede	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8 265.8 389.1 502.0 926.8 111.2	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66  1.14  1.36  0.84  2.31  2.29	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56 3.12 6.28 1.16 14.53 1.11	(Au Toz)  12 492 125 21 7 344 16 7 12 10 17 14 69 8	5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48 27 79 19 433
Mastra Underground	kt 111.7 3,549.3 714.7 138.8 90.6 2,108.2 86.4 149.7 585.8 265.8 389.1 502.0 926.8 111.2 18,475.4	Au g/t  3.23  4.31  5.44  4.64  2.26  5.07  5.59  1.39  0.66  1.14  1.36  0.84  2.31  2.29  0.72	1.47 1.06 1.69 4.94 6.97 5.44 9.40 1.49 2.56 3.12 6.28 1.16 14.53 1.11 0.00	(Au Toz)  12  492  125  21  7  344  16  7  12  10  17  14  69  8  425	(Ag Toz)  5 121 39 22 20 369 26 7 48 27 79 19 433 4 - 71

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# **Mineral Resources (Inclusive of Reserves)**

# MINERAL RESOURCES

31 December 2013	Tonnage	Grade	Ounces		
Measured Resources	kt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	(Au Toz)	(Ag Toz)
Ovacik	1,600.5	5.23	3.4	269	177
Cukuralan Open Pit	3,644.0	5.61	2.0	657	235
Cukuralan Underground	3,863.4	5.15	1.6	640	203
Coraklik Tepe	0.0	0.00	0.0	0	0
Gelintepe	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Narlica	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Kiratli	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Kaymaz	1,129.6	3.73	4.9	136	179
Mastra	472.1	6.54	6.1	99	93
Mastra North	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Himmetdede Oxide	7,160.2	0.66	0.0	153	0
Himmetdede Sulfide	21.9	0.80	0.0	1	0
Mollakara Oxide	2,942.0	0.80	0.2	76	20
Mollakara Transition	577.3	1.25	0.4	23	7
Mollakara Sulfide	9,597.0	1.10	0.2	339	55
Sogut Akbastepe Open Pit	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Sogut Akbastepe Underground	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Sogut Hayriye	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Isıkdere	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Kubaslar	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Ovacık Rom	96.7	3.98	3.5	12	11
Cukuralan Rom	100.0	7.51	4.7	24	15
Coraklik Rom	154.7	2.93	5.3	15	26
Mastra Rom	24.7	4.51	6.6	4	5
Himmetdede Rom	21.0	1.31	0.0	1	0
Kaymaz Rom	327.1	5.07	4.7	53	49
Ovacik Mill	30.4	5.19	3.2	5	3
Mastra Mill	19.8	4.86	5.3	3	3
Kaymaz Mill	21.0	7.19	5.5	5	4
Himmetdede Heap Leach	373.0	1.06	0.0	13	0
Ovacık LG	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Cukuralan LG	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Kucukdere LG	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Mastra LG	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Kaymaz LG	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total Measured Resources</b>	32,176	2.44	1.0	2,527	1,085

# **MINERAL RESOURCES**

31 December 2013 Indicated Resources	Tonnage kt	Grade Au g/t	Ag g/t	Ounces (Au Toz)	(Ag Toz)
Ovacik	822.0	3.20	1.9	85	50
Cukuralan Open Pit	929.7	5.25	1.6	157	48
Cukuralan Underground	4,643.4	5.12	1.4	765	212
Coraklik Tepe	104.9	5.33	9.0	18	30
Gelintepe	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Narlica	376.0	2.48	10.8	30	131
Kiratli	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Kaymaz	2,485.1	4.71	5.3	376	421
Mastra	419.7	5.40	9.0	73	121
Mastra North	290.6	2.05	5.8	19	54
Himmetdede Oxide	35,070.7	0.62	0.0	703	0
Himmetdede Sulfide	2,560.9	1.32	0.0	108	0
Mollakara Oxide	9,477.6	0.73	0.2	223	58
Mollakara Transition	2,658.0	0.85	0.2	72	18
Mollakara Sulfide	34,707.9	0.97	0.2	1,087	231
Sogut Akbastepe Open Pit	2,514.3	12.28	1.1	993	91
Sogut Akbastepe Underground	348.0	9.99	1.0	112	11
Sogut Hayriye	164.8	3.07	0.0	16	0
Isikdere	91.6	1.66	9.5	5	28
Kubaslar	1,726.5	1.91	13.6	106	754
Ovacık Rom	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Cukuralan Rom	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Coraklik Tepe Rom	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Mastra Rom	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Kaymaz Rom	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Ovacik Mill	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Mastra Mill	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Kaymaz Mill	0.00	0.0	0.0	0	0
Ovacık LG	149.7	1.39	1.5	7	7
Cukuralan LG	502.0	0.84	1.2	14	19
Kucukdere LG	389.1	1.36	6.3	17	79
Mastra LG	265.8	1.14	3.1	10	27
Kaymaz LG	585.8	0.66	2.6	12	48
<b>Total Indicated Resources</b>	101,284	1.54	0.7	5,006	2,438

# MINERAL RESOURCES

31 December 2013 Inferred Resources	Tonnage kt	Grade Au g/t	Ag g/t	Ounces (Au Toz)	(Ag Toz)
Ovacik	251.4	4.22	2.3	34	(Ag 102)
Çukuralan Open Pit	56.5	4.13	1.6	7	3
Çukuralan Underground	2,919.2	5.37	2.1	504	201
Çoraklik Tepe	340.0	4.22	8.3	46	91
Gelintepe	48.5	3.52	2.2	5	4
Narlica	124.9	3.05	11.1	12	45
Kiratli	1,875.4	2.24	38.1	135	2,299
Kaymaz	1,043.3	3.45	4.6	116	153
Mastra	533.6	6.94	5.9	119	100
Mastra North	24.1	2.39	5.5	2	4
Himmetdede Oxide	2,900.3	0.44	0.0	41	0
Himmetdede Sulfide	193.2	0.71	0.0	4	0
Mollakara Oxide	7,591.7	0.46	0.1	113	24
Mollakara Transition	4,719.6	0.68	0.1	104	19
Mollakara Sulfide	95,937.5	0.82	0.1	2,542	443
Sogut Akbastepe Open Pit	157.0	2.55	0.5	13	2
Sogut Akbastepe Underground	1,890.5	9.64	0.9	586	55
Sogut Korudanlik Open Pit	2,903.4	6.31	0.8	589	77
Sogut Korudanlik Underground	3,104.6	6.21	0.7	620	74
Sogut Hayriye Open Pit	155.4	3.04	0.4	15	2
lşıkdere	383.7	1.68	5.5	21	68
Kubaslar	204.2	2.17	12.5	14	82
Hasandag	7,799.4	0.41	0.2	102	59
Aslantepe	295.4	2.45	7.7	23	73
<b>Total Inferred Resources</b>	135,452	1.32	0.9	5,769	3,896

# Corporate Governance Report

# **Corporate Governance Statement**

Our Company in principal adopts "Principles of Corporate Governance" accepted by the resolution 35/385 of Capital Market Board on 04 July 2003. Company is aware that implementation of these principles will derive benefit for our company, stakeholders and ultimately our country. Therefore, our Company has initiated implementation of Corporate Governance principles.

#### SECTION I – SHAREHOLDERS

## 1. Relationship Unit with Shareholders

Our Company has set up an investor's relations unit to reach the investors. This section will be operated under the coordination of Okan Bayrak, Assistant General Manager, Investor Relations. It is full-time position for promoting it to domestic and international corporates and individuals, to inform them accurately, fully and correctly, to answer questions immediately. Interviews conducted for a position to assume responsibilities of this section are underway and appropriate candidate will soon be recruited for related position. This section will be available for individual and corporate investors by telephone, fax, e-mail at all times. Any significant developments in connection with company's business affairs if required will be shared with the public via press releases. It is planned the copies of press bulletins released and presentations shared by the research experts and all documents not in nature of trade secret of the company's affairs will be available on the internet. This section can be accessed at <a href="mailto:yatirimciiliskileri@kozagold.com">yatirimciiliskileri@kozagold.com</a> and telephone no: 0312 587 1000 or fax no: 0312 587 1100

# 2. Right of receiving information of the investors

A section is reserved in the internet website under the heading of "Investors Relations". Without any prejudice, all information publicly disclosed are available on the website for shareholders who will have easily and equally access to company information. An internal operating system was set up to quickly reply any queries directed to Investors Relations Unit verbally or written within the information disclosed to the public.

#### 3. Information on General Board Meeting

Following decisions were taken at the Extraordinary General Assembly, held on **01 September 2014**;

- 1. Due to the resignation of İsmet Kasapoğlu, Işık Özpeker was appointed as an Independent Member of the Board and to hold office until to the 2014 Ordinary General Assembly.
- 2. Taking into the consideration of the Company's dividend distribution policy, the policies of previous dividends distributed, investment and financial policies, and cash status, the decision was taken for cash distribution of gross 152.500.000 TL to the shareholders from the extraordinary reserves account, where company's previous years profits were placed. Distribution will commence as from 03 September 2014.

Following decisions were taken at the Ordinary General Assembly, held on 31 March 2014;

- 1. The Activity Report and Auditor's Report prepared by the Company's Board of Directors for the year 2013 were presented to the General Assembly and both reports were accepted unanimously.
- 2. The Balance of Statement and Profit/Loss accounts prepared by the Company's Board of Directors for the year 2013 were accepted unanimously.
- Each member of the Board of Directors and the auditors were separately acquitted by the majority of votes
- 4. Discussion was held on the distribution of the profits for the year 2013. Following decisions were reached by the majority of votes:
- to pay shareholders first cash dividend gross 135,708,030.29 TL and distribute cash dividend of net 21,118,837.11 TL to the members of the Board of Directors, elected to represent Group A,
  - to set the commencement date to be 04.04.2014 for distribution of dividends.

5. It was accepted by the majority of votes that Hamdi Akın İpek, Cafer Tekin İpek, Melek İpek and Pelin Zenginer to continue offices and in addition to them, Ismet Kasapoğlu and Yusuf Köyce to be elected as the independent members to the Board of Directors for a period of 1 year.

#### 4. Voting Rights

The holders of Group A shares have right of privilege to nominate candidates for the Board of Directors and Auditor.

#### 5. Profit Distribution Policy

Our company firstly aims to grow in present areas of production and operational facilities, to make strategic investments in new gold fields and to weigh on exploration activities within current exploration licenses. Within this framework, our Company has been targeting to meet all these investments by cash inflow derived from production areas

Within the framework of strategically targets, growth trend, investment policies, profitability and cash status and the provisions of Turkish Trade Act, Capital Market Regulations, Taxation Regulation and relevant clause of our principal contract related to the distribution of profit, Our Company will pay the dividend in the form of cash and/or unpaid shares in minimum proportion of it as basically specified by the Capital Market Board. The dividend, which will be distributed in pursuant to the decision to be taken at General Board meeting may be paid in full or in the form of unpaid shares or be determined to be as partially in cash and unpaid shares.

It is always possible for the Board of Directors to decide proportion of profit distribution to be above the minimum ratio and submit this to the General Board for the approval.

Payments of dividend will be distributed within the legal period.

Profit distribution policy that presented to our shareholders is as follows;

If net term profit as the result of Company's activities according to financial report prepared by IFRS is,

- under 400 million TL, 2% of net distributable profit;
- between 401 million TL and 450 million TL, 3% of net distributable profit;
- between 451 million TL and 500 million TL, 4% of net distributable profit;
- over 500 million TL, 5% of net distributable profit.

#### 6. Transfer of Shares

Clause 6 of the Company's Articles of Association states: "Transfer of share certificates of the company is allowed provided that the provisions of Turkish Trade Code, Capital Market legislation and these articles of association are reserved".

#### SECTION II - PUBLIC DISCLOSURE AND TRANSPARENCY

# 7. Company's Information Policy

Koza Gold will observe and fulfill corporate governance principles mainly Capital Market Act and the arrangements related with this legislation and all kinds financial information and other explanations and announcements and generally accepted accounting principles within frameworks of Turkish Trade Act and its related procedures and follow a detailed Information and Public Disclosure Policy within this scope.

Basic aim of information policy is to ensure shareholders, employees, customers, creditors and stakeholders are disclosed information and explanations, not in the nature of trade secret, through easily accessible at low cost, accurate, complete, comprehensible at equal condition.

In connection with all practices of public informing, it complies with Capital Market procedures and arrangements of ISE and aims to implement most effective communication policy within CMB Corporate Governance Principles.

#### 8. Disclosing Significant Events

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 02.01.2014 09:30:21

Special Event Disclosure (General)

DISCLOSURE:

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

There have been untrue and baseless remarks about our Company and Chairman Mr. Akın Ipek in an article published in today's Yenisafak newspaper,

In no way, our Company and/or Group companies are engaged in gold importation and as a matter of fact, the gold we produce is sold through Precious Metal Market of Istanbul Stock Exchange in pursuant to Circular 26350. All transactions are registered and certified by Istanbul Stock Exchange. It is not possible to sell gold to certain people.

Our Company is a mining company and has never conducted gold trading. We have no corporate and personal relationship regarding gold trading or any other business with the persons mentioned in newspaper's article.

Our company conducts its business with its own risk capital and carries out the mining starting from exploration stage onwards and fully complies with legal procedures.

We respectfully provide this for the public to be informed.

Koza Gold Operations Inc.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 02.01.2014 17:57:17

Special Event Disclosure (General)

**DISCLOSURE:** 

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

In a press bulletin by the Special Administration of Izmir Province dated 02.01.2014, details were given related with the halting the activities of our Company's Cukuralan operations, referring to the basis outlined in Notice of Ministry of Environment and Urban Affairs dated 31.07.2013.

In the said Notice, it was quoted that "the present operations, that carry out their activities without Environment Permit are given time by our Ministry to complete their permitting process until 31.12.2013. No decision for administrative sanctions will be imposed on those operations that lodge application until that date".

According to temporary activity certificate issued by the Ministry to our Company, we need to make an e-application to obtain environment permit or environment permit and license by providing complete documentation and information required until 20.02.2014.

Our Company has therefore made the application and fulfilled all the requirements and being the last condition, it has paid the certificate fees to the Ministry's account on 10.12.2013.

The Company has fulfilled its obligations on time.

Within this frame, we expect Special Administration of Izmir Province, as they have stated in their press bulletin, to implement provisions outlined in the Ministry's Notice dated 31.07.2013 and immediately lift the decision halting our Company's Cukuralan operations

With kind regards,

Koza Gold Operations Inc.

Note: In order to avoid any confusion, we would like to clarify that there are no problems or conflicts in terms of "EIA Certificate" and Certificate to Run and Operate Workplace"

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 06.01.2014 09:08:57

Special Event Disclosure (General)

**DISCLOSURE:** 

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

In some press, there has been untrue news published in connection with stoppage of production at our Company's Mastra Gold Mine.

As pointed out in the papers, "4 square meter sized gallery entrance" is in forestry land. An application to extend period of forestry permit was lodged but no reply has been received so far. General Directorate of Mine Works (MIGEM) has sent instructions on 27.12.2013 not to use this area as the gallery entrance is located on forestry land for which permit has not been received.

Since we have received no reply for our application to extend the period of our forestry permit, and considering such reply would take time, our Company has opened another gallery entrance on the permitted area. Our production activities are being carried out at this new permitted area. There was no need to make a public disclosure on this issue, as halting or interrupting the production at Mastra Gold Mine by MIGEM was not the case

Another issue of taxation probe raised in the same news article is a usual procedure that applies to corporate companies like us. Our Ministry of Finance is respected institution acting within the law. Ministry of Finance is not penalizing institution, as alleged.

We respectfully provide this for the public to be informed

#### **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 07.01.2014 10:34:35**

Special Event Disclosure (General)

DISCLOSURE:

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

We have applied to the court to start legal proceedings for cancellation of the process, which had been initiated by Special Administration of Izmir Province to halt mining activities at Company's Cukuralan Mine.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 10.01.2014 10:48:57

Special Event Disclosure (General)

DISCLOSURE:

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

Upon our application for cancellation of the process, which had been initiated by Special Administration of Izmir Province to halt mining activities at Company's Cukuralan Mine? 4th Administrative Court of Izmir ordered stay of execution. With this court decision, our Cukuralan Mine will resume its activities

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 10.01.2014 13:44:55

Special Event Disclosure (General)

DISCLOSURE:

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

Our Cukuralan operations, which was sealed off by Special Administration of Izmir Province is now removed of the seals and resumed its activities.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, 2014 [] 15.01.2014 18:40:17

#### **Certification of General Board Decisions**

#### ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURE:

The results of our Company's Ordinary General Board Meeting for the year 2012 held on 10.05.2013 have been certified by Trade Registry Office of Ankara on 13.05.2013. This is provided for your action.

#### **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 17.01.2014 17:54:04**

**Special Event Disclosure (General)** 

**DISCLOSURE:** 

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

The results of our total resources and reserves as at 31.12.2013 produced in accordance with International JORC standards and audited by an international institution SRK Consulting USA are disclosed to the investors as follow:-

The samples of 144.998.6 meter core drilling carried out in 2013 and other geological works have been analysed by the laboratories of an international ALS Chemex (Australian Laboratory Service)

As at 31.12.2013, our measured, indicated, inferred resources have reached 13.3 million ounces ad reserves to be 3.5 million ounces.

At the end of 2012, our resources had been 12.6 million ounces and reserves 3.7 million ounces. In 2013 350.000 ounces were produced.

Due to permitting regulations on the use of public land, which came into force in June, 2012, not enough drilling opportunities existed transforming resource and reserve zones into measured and indicated categories. Furthermore, resources and reserve grade values went head to head affected by changes in gold prices. In 2013. In spite of this negative environment, our geology and exploration teams continue with their works.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 28.01.2014 10:07:34

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### Special Event (s) to disclose:

Due to restrictions and applications encountered in mining sector, following decisions were taken to protect company budget and our profit distribution plans and to maintain our growth performance at optimum level.

These decisions are as follow:-

- to halt activities of Mastra /Gumushane plant by the end of the February,
- In order not to have our budget performance be affected on short term, to cut back our exploration activities budget by 70%, like in other companies in our sector,
- Within the frame of our plans to reach our short and long-term targets, to expedite assessing the opportunities received/will be received from the countries mainly, where mining regulations have been well established.

The matter that should be known here is that the mining companies, which possess accumulated knowledge at all stages starting from exploration to setting up plant, and operate with its own risk capital are invited and encouraged by every country.

Due to restrictions and application, in every 300 drilling carried out in Turkey only one turns into the mining, whereas world ratio is 1 in 100.

We firmly believe that Koza mining teams who have proven themselves by showing success performance so far will be successful in the world.

Obviously, the most important factor that affects mining is the world's mineral prices. Apart from this effect, which is beyond our control, we plan not to have any major changes in our short and long term budgets and profit distribution targets.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL 2014 [] 06.03.2014 18:31:32

## **Call for General Board Meeting**

Address	Necatibey Cd. No:56-B Demirtepe Çankaya
Phone	312 - 5871000
Fax	312 - 5871100
Department of Investor/Shareholders Relations, Phone no:	312 - 5871015
Department of Investor/Shareholders Relations, Fax no:	312 - 5871100
Is it updated disclosure?	No
Is it a deferred disclosure ?	No
Summary Information	NOTICE OF GENERAL BOARD MEETING FOR THE YEAR 2013

Decision Date	06.03.2014
Type of General Meeting	Ordinary
Fiscal Period commenced on	01.01.2013
Fiscal Period ended on	31.12.2013
Date and Time	31.03.2014 14:30
Address	Ramada Plaza Yaşam Cad. 4. Sok No:4 Söğütözü/Ankara
Agenda	AGENDA OF ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING HELD ON31.03.2014 1 Opening the meeting and electing the Chairing Committee and Authorizing Chairing Committee to sign general Meeting documents.

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	2 Examining and discussing and approving Board of Directors' Activity for the year 2013.
	3 Reading of summarized Report of Independent Auditor related to Fiscal Period of 2013
	4 Reading, discussing and approving of financial charts related to 2013 accounting year
	5 Taking decision to separately acquit the members of the Board for their accounts and activities for the year 2013
	6 In pursuant to the regulations of Capital Market Board, approve dividend distribution policy
	7 Accepting, accepting as being amended or rejecting the proposal by the Board for the date of dividend distribution for the year 2013.
	8 Electing members of the Board of Management, and deciding the term to hold office
	9 As required by Capital Market Board arrangements, inform shareholders about "Remuneration Policy and the payments effected within this policy for the board members and top level officers
	10 Determining monthly salaries for the Board Members,
	11. In pursuant to Turkish Trade Act and arrangements by the Capital Market Board, approve Board 's election of Independent Auditing firm,
	12. As required by the arrangements of Capital Market Board, to notify shareholders about " Disclosure Policy",
	13. Inform shareholders about the guarantees, securities, and mortgages given in favour of third parties. 14. As required by the arrangements of the Capital Market Board, shareholders are informed about donations and aids granted to the foundations and societies within the purpose of Companies social assistance policy in 2013 and to determine top limits of the donations, which will be made in 2014.
	15., Permission to be given to shareholders who hold management powers, senior level officers and their spouses and relatives by blood and kinship up to third degree within the frame of Article 395 and 396 of Turkish Trade Act and to inform shareholders about the transactions conducted within this scope in 2012 in line with Corporate Management Principles
	16. Requests and recommendations.
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for an amendment in the articles of association concerning Commercial Title?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment in the articles of association concerning type of business engaged?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment in the articles of association concerning Company's Head Office?	No

# **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 06.03.2014 20:36:56**

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

In pursuant to Corporate Management Principles and the arrangements of Capital Market Board, notification document prepared for annual general meeting is enclosed.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL 2014 [] 06.03.2014 20:48:27

#### **Board's Decision for Distribution of Profit Share**

Address	Necatibey Cd. No:56-B Demirtepe Çankaya
Phone	312 - 5871000
Fax	312 - 5871100
Department of Investor/Shareholders Relations, Phone no:	312 - 5871015
Department of Investor/Shareholders Relations, Fax no:	312 - 5871100
Is it updated disclosure?	No
Is it a deferred disclosure?	No
Summary Information	Profit Distribution for 2013

Date of Decision by the Board of Directors	06.03.2014
Date, the matter will be discussed at General Board Meeting,	31.03.2014

Proposed type of payment of cash profit	cash

Share Group Information	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. (gross TL)	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. ( Net TL)	
Group B ,KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,8898887	0,7564054	
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,8898887	0,7564054	

# Proposed Date to pay cash dividend share 04.04.2014

Share Group Information	Cach chare amount proposed to be	Dividend share proposed to be distributed in form of share (%)
Group B, KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,000	0,00000
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,000	0,00000

#### **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:**

Company's Board of Management has decided to propose to distribute gross 135.708.030,29 TL to shareholders of net distributional term dividend included with donations for the year 2013, to Group A Board of Management members net 21.713.284,85 TL and distribution of dividend is to be effective from 04.04.2014.

#### **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 06.03.2014 20:56:01**

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

In pursuant to the principles of the Capital Market Board Act 6362 and Turkish Trade Act 6102, the Company's Board of Management receiving opinion from auditing committee has unanimously decided to nominate Basaran Nas Auditing and Chartered Accounting and Counselling Company A.S. (a member of PricewaterhouseCoopers) to audit our Company's financial charts covering the accounting period for 2014 and take this nomination to the approval of Ordinary General Board Meeting for the 2013.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, 2014 [] 07.03.2014 18:18:50

#### Decision by the Board of Management related to Distribution of Dividend

Reason for Amendment and Content of Amended Information

Inadvertently errors on dividend distribution chart were corrected and updated. There are no changes in profit shares, which we will distribute to shareholders.

#### Our notice announced on 06/03/2014 20:48 through Public Disclosure Platform is amended as follows:

Date of the Decision by Board of Directors	06.03.2014
Date, the matter will be discussed at General Board Meeting	31.03.2014

Proposed type of payment of cash profit	cash

Share Group Information	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. (gross TL)	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. ( Net TL)
Group B,KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,8898887	0,7564054
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,8898887	0,7564054

# Proposed Date to pay cash dividend share 04.04.2014

Share Group Information		Profit share proposed to be distributed in form of share (%)
Group B,KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,000	0,00000
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,000	0,00000

#### **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:**

Inadvertently errors on dividend distribution chart were corrected and updated. There are no changes in profit shares which we will distribute to shareholders. Company's Board of Management has decided to propose to distribute gross 135.708.030,29 TL to shareholders of net distributional term dividend included with donations for the year 2013, to Group A Board of Management members net 21.713.284,85 TL and distribution of dividend is to be effective from 04.04.2014.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 07.03.2014 18:25:56 Special Event Disclosure (Amendment)

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

The informative document prepared in relation with General Board Meeting pursuant to the Principles and arrangements of CMB corporate Management is attached herewith.

## KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, 2014 [] 07.03.2014 18:36:35

Decision by the Board of Management related to Distribution of Dividend

**Reason for Amendment and Content of Amended Information** 

Our notice announced on 07/03/2014 18:18 through Public Disclosure Platform is amended as follows:

Date of the Decision by Board of Directors	06.03.2014
Date, the matter will be discussed at General Board Meeting	31.03.2014

Proposed type of payment of cash profit	cash

Share Group Information	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. (gross TL)	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. ( Net TL)
Group B,KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,8898887	0,7564054
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,8898887	0,7564054

Proposed Date to pay cash dividend share
04.04.2014

Share Group Information		Profit share proposed to be distributed in form of share (%)
B Grubu,KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,000	0,00000
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,000	0,00000

#### **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:**

Inadvertently errors on dividend distribution chart were corrected and updated. There are no changes in profit shares, which we will distribute to shareholders. Company's Board of Management has decided to propose to distribute gross 135.708.030,29 TL to shareholders of net distributional term dividend included with donations for the year 2013, to Group A Board of Management members net 21.713.284,85 TL and distribution of dividend is to be effective from 04.04.2014.

#### **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 07.03.2014 18:39:55**

#### **Special Event Disclosure (Amendment)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

The informative document prepared in relation with General Board Meeting pursuant to the Principles and arrangements of CMB corporate Management is attached herewith.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 10.03.2014 09:25:33

**Special Event Disclosure (General)** 

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

Upon completion of inspections conducted by the Ministry of Environment and Urban Affairs, temporary Permit Certificate of Cukuralan Gold Mine has been converted into "Environment Permit Certificate to be valid until the year 2019. Environment and Permit Certificate has been submitted to Special Administration of Izmir Province.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 13.03.2014 13:26:36

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

Open pit activities at our Company's Kaymaz operations located in Karakaya Village region has been halted by Sivrihisar Sub-Governor Office upon instruction of Provincial Department of Food, Agriculture and Livestock of Eskisehir Governorship on the allegation of a part of our operation's activity area is pasture land. Although it is clearly defined on the Official Deed cadastre, present and open to public that these lands have not been registered as pasture land, process was implemented. Our operation has all the permits as required within Mine Act and other relevant acts.

As it can be clearly seen on the letters received from Sivrihisar Cadastre Department of Eskisehir Governor's Office, dated 27.05.2009, 06.10.2009, 29.11.2010, 06.11.2012 and 16.01.2014, the area, where we carry out our activities are the fields of which deeds are in our Company's ownership and defined in the cadastre registry as "UNCADASTRE STONY AREA". All the process in relation to the lands in our operation was conducted in accordance with official deeds registry records.

- Clause 10/Article 121 of the Regulation for Mining Activities Practices clearly specify that the process will be implemented according to current deeds registry records when exploration period, production permit or operation permit is required. Article 21 of the Pasture Act 4342, headed to prove the claims for meadow, pasture and wintering has ensured that if an existence of immovable is to be treated as a meadow, it is a requisite to have it been registered onto meadow registry book kept by the relevant register of deeds For all the official applications we have made within Deeds and Cadastre Department from 2009 to 2014, we have clearly notified that our operational area has been registered as "non-cadastre stony area" and it has not been meadow or treasury land according to meadow registry book records We quiet clearly believe this decision for stoppage contradicts the law and we would like to inform public that we will use all our legal rights regarding this process. Koza Gold Operations Inc.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, 2014 [] 31.03.2014 18:45:54

# Outcome of General Board Meeting

Type of General meeting	Ordinary
Date and Time	31.03.2014 14:30
Fiscal Period commenced on	01.01.2013
Fiscal Period ended on	31.12.2013
Was General Board Meeting held?	yes
Decisions taken	Board Management was acquitted. Board management's proposal for profit distribution was accepted as it was. Ismet Kasapoglu and Yusuf Köyce were elected to hold offices as Independent Members. Independent auditing firm elected by the Board Management was approved. Top limits were determined for donations to be made in 2014.
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for an amendment in the articles of association concerning Commercial Title ?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment in the articles of association concerning type of business engaged?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment in the articles of association concerning Company's Head Office?	No

Information relating to the process amongst the items included in Agenda

Was the issue of Profit Share Distribution discussed?	Yes

Proposed type of payment of cash profit	cash

Share Group Information	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. (gross TL)	Proposed cash dividend to be paid for nominal value share of 1 TL. ( Net TL)	
Group B,KOZAL(old),TREKOAL00014	0,8898887	0,7564054	
Group A, not transacted (privileged),TREKOAL00022	0,8898887	0,7564054	

cashKar Payı	Ödeme Tarihi
04.04.2014	

Will Profit Share be Distributed in the form of share?	No

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, [] 31.03.2014 19:03:07

#### **Acquisition of Financial Fixed Asset**

Date of Decision taken by the Board for acquisition	:	31.03.2014
Title of Acquired Fixed Asset	:	Koza Ltd.
Type of Activity of Acquired Financial Fixed Asset	:	Mining enterprising abroad
Capital of Acquired Financial Fixed Asset	:	60.000.000 GBP
Method of Acquiring Financial Fixed Assets	:	Establishing a new company.
Process completed/ will be completed on	:	31.03.2014
Acquisition conditions	:	Cash capital
Nominal amount of Acquired shares	:	60.000.000 GBP
Buying Price of each share	:	1 GBP
Total Amount	:	60.000.000 GBP
Ratio of Acquired Shares to the Capital of Acquired Financial Fixed Assets (%)	:	100%
Participation Rate in Financial Fixed Assets after Acquisition (%)	:	100%
Ratio of voting rights owned after acquisition to Total Voting Rights of Financial Fixed Assets (%)	:	100%
Ratio of Acquired Fixed Asset to Total Assets in Partnership's the latest Financial Statement disclosed to the Public (%)	:	0,117661215
Effect to Partnership's activities	:	To engage in mining abroad.
Whether an obligation has occurred to offer share purchase	:	No
If so, whether an application for exemption will be made	:	No
Name/Title of Seller/Transferor	:	-
Nature of Relationship of Partnership to Seller/Transferor Party	:	-
Method of Determining Value of Financial Fixed Asset		-
Whether a valuation report was prepared	<u> </u>	Not prepared
If not prepared what is the reason?	:	Establishing a new company
Amount found as the result of valuation Report.		-
If the process has not been realized/will not be realized according to the results of Valuation Report, what is the reason	:	-

#### **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:**

As announced in our Special Event Disclosure dated 28. January 2014, a company titled with "Koza Gold Ltd", based in England and wholly owned subsidiary of Koza Gold Operations Inc was established to undertake mining activities abroad.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 09.04.2014 11:42:20

# **Special Event Disclosure ( General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

Financial charts, to be prepeared for the period of 31 March 2014 and afterwards, in reference to the disclosure we have made on 31 March 2014 related to formation of Koza Ltd will be sent as fully consolidated financial charts.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 21.04.2014 10:13:56

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

It has been necessary to issue a public disclosure in relation to the allegations published in daily Sabah and Takvim newspapers, which do not reflect truth.

All the developments related to our Company are timely and truly disclosed to the Public Disclosure Platform (KAP). As expressed in our disclosure dated 28.01.2014, activities at our Gumushane Gold production facilities were halted. Only the underground mining activities are ongoing. Koza Gold Operations regularly conducts analysis of soil, water, and underground water a year before activities commences on the surrounding area and every month following starting of operations. Additionally, public institutions take samples and analyze every month.

All of our employees are medically checked before and during their employment on regular basis. This is an implementation of legal procedures, as required by mining and business world. Our group showing high sensitivity fully complies with all types of legal procedures. The implementations of environment and human health (environment performance) at our mining operations are shown to be example to the world mining.

Other than those mentioned above, such publications issued for the purpose of defamation should not be respected.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 21.04.2014 13:55:36

#### Certifying the Decisions by the General Board

## **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURE:**

Our Company's Annual Ordinary General Meeting for the year of 2013 held on 31.03.2014 was certified by the Trade Registry Office of Ankara on 21.04.2014.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 02.05.2014 17:55:12

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

The underground blasting activities at our Company's Mastra operations had to be halted as the validity of a certificate for the purchase and usage of explosive materials has expired on 24.April 2014 and our the permitting process for renewal application lodged on 21.03.2014 had not been completed beyond our Company's will and control.

Since no underground activities are being carried out, a decision has been made for surplus workforce of 109 employees to be evaluated for other workplaces, to apply half wages as the Law permits and to allow the unemployable personnel to take unpaid leaves. In the event of unemployable personnel not accepting to take unpaid leaves, they will not be engaged further and their contract of employment will be terminated in pursuant to the provisions of Labour Act 4857.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 14.05.2014 09:02:00

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

The Administrative Court of Eskisehir has ruled a stay of execution of the process for halting our open pit activities at our Company's Kaymaz operations by Sivrihisar Sub-Governor's Office.

In pursuant to Court's decision, normal production will continue at our operations.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 26.05.2014 09:36:15

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

Our affiliated partner Koza Ltd and Lonmin Pty Ltd, an affiliate of Lonmin (Northern Ireland) have signed a Memorandum of Understanding for gold and silver exploration activities in Northern Ireland.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 02.06.2014 09:36:56

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

In a statement issued by our Company on 02 May 2014, it was announced that The underground blasting activities at our Company's Mastra operations had to be halted as the validity of a certificate for the purchase and usage of explosive materials had expired on 24.April 2014 and our the permitting process for renewal application lodged on 21.03.2014 could not have been completed beyond our Company's will and control.

As the mentioned certificate was not issued and no underground productions could have been carried out, the employment contracts of 109 employees have been terminated in pursuant to the provisions of Labour Act 4857, to be effective from 31.05.2014.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, 2014 [] 06.08.2014 17:57:57

#### **Call for the General Assembly Meeting**

Date of Resolution	06.08.2014
Type of General Assembly Meeting	Extra ordinary
Date and Time	01.09.2014 10:00
Address	Ramada Plaza Yaşam Caddesi. 4. Sok No:4 Söğütözü ANKARA
	1 Opening the meeting and elect the Chairing Committee and Authorizing Chairing Committee to sign general Meeting documents.
Agenda	<ul><li>2. Discussing to elect an independent member of the board</li><li>3. Informing the shareholders about the investments within the country and abroad.</li><li>4. Discussing the distribution the profits of previous years to the shareholders.</li></ul>

	<ul><li>5. Requests and recommendations</li><li>6. Close the meeting</li></ul>
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for an amendment on the articles of association concerning Commercial Title?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment on the articles of associaton concerning type of business engaged ?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment on the articles of association concerning Company's Head Office?	No

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL, 2014 [] 07.08.2014 10:17:22

Call for the General Board Meeting

Reason for Amendment and Contents of information amended General Board Document was updated, as enclosed.

Our notice published in PDP on 06.08.2014 17:57 was amended as follows:.

Date of Resolution	06.08.2014
Type of General AssemblyMeeting	Extra ordinary
Date and Time	01.09.2014 10:00
Address	Ramada Plaza Yaşam Caddesi. 4. Sok No:4 Söğütözü ANKARA
Agenda	<ol> <li>Opening the meeting and elect the Chairing Committee and Authorizing Chairing Committee to sign general Meeting documents.</li> <li>Discussing to elect an independent member of the board</li> <li>Informing the shareholders about the investments within the country and abroad.</li> <li>Discussing the distribution the profits of previous years to the shareholders.</li> <li>Requests and recommendations</li> <li>Close the meeting</li> </ol>
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for an amendment on the articles of association concerning Commercial Title ?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment on the articles of associaton concerning type of business engaged?	No

Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment on the articles of association concerning Company's Head Office?	No

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC . / KOZAL [] 08.08.2014 09:38:35

**Special Event Disclosure (General)** 

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

The news and comments not reflecting truth about our Company and group of companies have been purposely published in some press. Ever since they were formed, our Company and group of companies have never had anything to do with unexplainable financial sources .As we are public companies,we are required by the international auditing standards to be regularly audited by independent external auditors.

All kinds of financial movements are realised through the banks and brokerage institutions authorized by the laws.

Legal actions will be taken against for such news and comments merely to blacken and discredit the reputation of our Company and group of companies.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC. / KOZAL [] 11.08.2014 10:03:34

**Special Event Disclosure (General)** 

#### **DISCLOSURE**

A tax investigation processed by the taxation inspectors from Tax Investigation Bureau of Finance Ministry covering the years of 2010, 2011, and 2012 was completed. All kinds of transactions were thoroughly audited for related years and a total tax and fine of 550,000TL were imposed. This amount, which will not be appealed will be paid to the relevant taxation department on the payment due date.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC. KOZAL [] 27.08.2014 09:16:33

**Special Event Disclosure (General)** 

#### **DISCLOSURE**

The news and comments not reflecting truth about EIA report of our Company's Himmetdede Project have been published in some press. As in our all other projects, EIA studies on Himmetdede have been prepared in an extreme care to comply with applicable legislations and international standards. The remarks and comments expressed are utterly baseless claims and we will use our legal rights against those who cause damage to our company with such speculative news.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC. / KOZAL [] 28.08.2014 10:59:30

# Authentication of news and rumors DISCLOSURE:

The news and comments not reflecting truth about EIA report of our Company's Himmetdede Project have been published in some press. As in all of our other projects, EIA studies on Himmetdede have been prepared in an extreme care to comply with applicable legislations and international standards. The remarks and comments expressed are utterly baseless claims and we will use our legal rights against those who cause damage to our company with such speculative news.

#### **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 29.08.2014 18:00:05**

# Special Event Disclosure (General) DISCLOSURE

As required by a letter from Capital Market Board dated 11.March 2014, Ismet Kasapoğlu who was elected as an Independent member of the Board at general Assembly meeting on 31.March 2014 has stepped down the office on 31.August 2014 in order not to contravene the criteria outlined in Clause (g) of the article 4.3.6 of Corporate Management Principle, which quotes " not having served as a member of Board for more than 6 years in the past 10 years".

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC . / KOZAL, 2014 [] 01.09.2014 13:34:05

#### The Result of General Assembly Meeting

Type of General Assembly Meeting	Extraordinary
Date and Time	01.09.2014 10:00
Was General Assembly Meeting held?	Yes
Decisions taken	1. To appoint Işık Özpeker as an Independent Member of the Board. 2. To Inform the shareholders about the investments within the country and abroad 3. Taking into the consideration of the Company's dividend distribution policy, the policies of previous dividends distributed, investment and financial policies, and cash status, the decision was taken for cash distribution of gross 152.500.000TL to the shareholders from the extraordinary reserves account, where company's previous years profits were placed. Distribution will commence as from 03 September 2014.
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for an amendment on the articles of association concerning Commercial Title?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment on the articles of associaton concerning type of business engaged?	No
Is there an issue amongst the agenda for amendment on the articles of association concerning Company's Head Office?	No

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 01.09.2014 14:06:48

#### **Special Event Disclosure (General)**

#### **DISCLOSURE**

Taking into the consideration of the Company's dividend distribution policy, the policies of previous dividends distributed, investment and financial policies, and cash status, the decision was taken for cash distribution of gross 152.500.000TL to the shareholders from the extraordinary reserves account, where company's previous years profits were placed. Distribution will commence as from 03 September 2014. For the shares of groups A and B, cash distribution will be done as follows:-

Cash profit share to be paid for 1TL nominal value – Gross (TL) 1,00 TL, Cash profit share to be paid for 1TL nominal value – Gross(TL) 0,85 TL

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC. / KOZAL, 2014 [] 02.09.2014 16:51:19

#### **Certifying resolutions of the General Assembly**

Type of General Assembly Meeting	extraordinary
Date and Time	01.09.2014 10:00
Date certified	02.09.2014

#### **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:**

Our Company's Extrordinary General Assembly Meeting held on 01.09.2014 was certified by Trade Registrar of Ankara on 02.09.2014.

#### KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 16.09.2014 09:03:09

#### Authentication of news and rumors

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

The news not reflecting truth has been published in some press with claims that EIA meeting could not have been held in relation to the mine, intended to be opened by our company at Yerli Tahtaci village of Bergama town of Izmir and our Company was not in possession of licence for the said proje

Our Company has a lawful licence, which was obtained pursuant to Mining Legislation for the said Kapikaya mining project and legality of the licence continues. The public participation meeting was held in accordance with the Environment Legislation on 04.09.2014 and all procedural requirements were fulfilled.

We have no activities taking place at Kaz Mountains, contrary to the news published..

As it was stated in our previous anouncements, our Company carries out its activites by showing extreme care to observe current law and regulations.

Legal actions will be taken for such news and comments, aimed to blacken and damage the reputation of our Company and our Group of companies

#### **KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 17.09.2014 09:15:52**

#### Authentication of news and rumors

#### **DISCLOSURE:**

In reply to the questions received from the public relating to the yesterday's disclosure, we made about Kapikaya mine project:-

Kapikaya mine project is not related with our Gold Mine at Ovacik, Bergama. Kapikaya mine is not included in the production planning of our Gold mine operations at Bergama.

There are no changes in our near future, medium and long term production plans.

The production continues without any problem, as planned.

We respectfully provide this information for the public.

# KOZA GOLD OPERATIONS INC / KOZAL [] 22.09.2014 11:25:24 Authentication of news and rumors DISCLOSURE:

There has been some news in the press that our company's gold exploration activities at Bergama, Izmir were brought into Parliament's agenda.

As it is known, necessary announcements were made by our Company related with this matter on 16.09.2014 and 17.09.2014. As previously stated, our Company conducts all of its activities in an extreme care and fully complies with valid law and regulations.

In a process initiated by "EIA application file", submitted by our Company," Participation of the Public in EIA Process" were realised by the Ministry upon the apropriate opinons of the Ministry of Environment and Urbanization.

Reminding once again that Kapikaya Mine Project has no relations with our Ovacik Gold Mine at Bergama. Kapikaya mine pit is not included in the production planning of Bergama Ovacik gold operations

# 9. Company's web site and contents

Our company's web site is www.kozaaltin.com.tr A section is included for Investor Relations on the web site and preparations are on the way to have dialog box and constant information service to be provided on the web site. Various information is comprehensively placed open the internet website, updated in line with developments. And there is a section "investors relations" which has minimum matters as outlined by CMB.

# 10. Statement for Real Personalities Final Dominant Shareholder(s)

December 2010	Share Group	TL	%
ATP İnşaat ve Ticaret A.Ş.	(A,B)	68.636	45,01
Koza İpek Holding A.Ş.	(A,B)	38.114	24,99
Halka Arz-Other	(B)	45.750	30,00
Melek İpek	(A)	-	Less than 1
Hamdi Akın İpek	(A)	-	Less than 1
Cafer Tekin İpek	(A)	-	Less than 1
Pelin Zenginer	(A)	-	Less than 1
İsmet Kasapoğlu	(B)	-	Less than 1
Total		152.500	100,00

## 11. Public Disclosure of Persons who provide information from inside

The persons who can reach to the information, which may be in the nature of effecting the value of company's capital market instruments may be identified in Activity Report as the persons holding offices in Board of Management, Members of Auditing Committee and executives therefore who can be in position to learn from inside. In order to maintain balance between transparency policies and protecting investors' interests with informing public fully and accurately, it should be significantly emphasized that all company employees and directors must comply with legal arrangements in using information obtained from inside. All employees and directors should not directly or indirectly use the company related inside information and they are fully aware of all the limitations to the legal arrangements and the nature of information and they act in accordance with these limitations and prohibitions.

#### **SECTION III – STAKEHOLDERS**

# 12. Informing the Stakeholders

Koza corporate governance practices secure the stakeholders of the procedures, monthly arrangements and their rights arranged by mutual agreements. Company employees, partners and third person or institutions that have business relations can directly communicate with company directors any proposals or violations on this matter.

Stakeholders are being informed through e-mail or telephone on the matters related to themselves or company-related issues.

## 13. Stakeholders' Participation in the Management

Employees' participation in the management is realized through the periodic meetings conducted within the Company and target defining and performance assessment meetings held each year.

#### 14. Human Relations Policy

Company's Recruitment policy is defined with priority given to development of local region. There is a recruitment process starting from nearest village neighboring the mine site. When there is need to recruit a personnel, according to the nature of position required, candidates are assessed from the nearest village then to nearest towns and provinces. If no suitable local candidates are selected, nation-wide candidates are sought.

As the gold mining industry is new sector in Turkey, it is sometimes difficult to find qualified personnel. Newly graduated personnel who are possessed with required qualifications are selected and when they are employed, on the job training occupational training have been provided.

As Koza respects the people in gold mining sector, it has been a choice and priority of those who received training in this sector.

Considering the mining industry, the workforce recycle has been on low levels, is a clear indication of employee satisfaction as well as good implementation of company's human resources policy.

# 15. Information on Customer and Suppliers Relations

As part of our Company's main business activity, doré, which contains gold and silver are produced and sent to refineries to be refined. All marketing and sales works are carried out by the refineries.

## 16. Social Responsibility

Our Company, while operating, shows great care for the principles of transparency, values its employees and locals and continuously develops itself and follows and implements technological changes. The company has been involved in to concentrate on the problems of local communities and has produced and continues to produce number of projects to assist their economical as well as social developments. As a part of its "Social Responsibility", Koza Altın İşletmeleri A.Ş has adopted attitude which will provide local region with highest economical and social contribution.

#### SECTION IV – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

## 17. Structure, Formation and Independent Members

Company's Board of Directors consists of 5 members, elected by General Board.

Hamdi Akın İpek Chairman

Cafer Tekin İpek Vice Chairman

Melek İpek Member

Pelin Zenginer Member

Işık Özpeker Independent Member

Yusuf Köyce Independent Member

# 18. Qualifications of Members of Board of Directors

Entire members of the Board of Directors have vast knowledge backed with education and experience and exemplifying professionals in the sector as well in the world of business.

#### 19. Company's Mission and Vision and Strategic Goals

# **Our Vision**

To be the first Turkish international company in gold mining sector.

#### **Our Mission**

To carry out gold mining operations by using best available technology and displaying highest environmental performance and showing respect to local people in a mutual trust.

#### **Our Strategies**

- To be one of the most important international gold producer in world's gold market.
- To further develop current Environment and Job Safety standards.
- To increase annual gold production to 1 million ounces.

# 20. Risk Management and Internal Control Mechanism

An auditing Committee will be formed within the Board of Directors. After formation of Auditing Committee, works will begin on setting up an Internal Auditing Department. In pursuant to the Capital Market Board's Circular and provisions for Determining and Practicing the Principles of Corporate Management, dated 11.10.2011 and serial :IV no: 54, timing will be determined to effectively implement internal auditing and procedures will be prepared and practiced.

## 21. Authorities and Responsibilities of the Board of Directors

Company's management rights and authorities of representation are defined in the Articles of Association.

#### 22. Activities of Board of Directors

Our Board of Directors have held number of meetings to discuss several issues and have taken decisions during the twelve months of 2010. All kinds of opinions were raised in those meetings and no different opinions were expressed against the member of the Board of Directors during these meetings in 2010.

#### 23. Committees

The amendments about our company's Articles of Association's 7/B titled "Committees attached to Board Management", have been approved by the CMB dated 10.04.2012 with resolution no. B.02.6.SPK.0.13.00-110.03.02-1023-4021. The changes to the article 7/B has also been permitted by the General Directorate of Internal Trade of the Customs and Trade Ministry of Republic of Turkey with their reference letter no. 2592.

#### 24. Code of Ethics

Procedure, which contains the code of ethics, has been finalized and is in the process of being used.

# 25. Financial Rights provided to the Board of Directors

Attendance fee to be paid to Company's Board of Directors is determined by General Board. The members of the Board receive attendance fee of net 30.000TL.

Decision was taken at the General board meeting held on 31 March 2014, to include into profit distribution policy, a proposal to be made to general assembly to distribute to the members of the board representing Group A shareholders for the Company's performance, if net term profit as the result of Company's 2013 activities according to financial report prepared by IFRS is,

- under 400 million TL, 2% of net distributable profit;
- between 401 million TL and 450 million TL, 3% of net distributable profit;
- between 451 million TL and 500 million TL, 4% of net distributable profit;
- over 500 million TL, 5% of net distributable profit.