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Appeal Judgement: Toro Diamonds vs. Namakwa Diamonds

On Friday, 19 October, 2012, Toro Diamonds Lesotho (Pty) Limited received judgement from the Lesotho Court of Appeals with regard to Toro's claim for shareholding in Storm Mountain (Pty) Limited diamond mine.

The Court dismissed Toro's appeal, with costs.

Toro Diamonds is obviously disappointed by this judgement.

About Batla Minerals

Batla Minerals is a French resource investment company listed on the NYSE Euronext (Marche Libre: MLBAT). The company has active diamond operations in Lesotho.

New ventures are being sought across Southern Africa and include mineral deposits in the energy, precious and base metals categories.

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