

# Lesotho Management Team



**Mpeke Makara**  
Operations Manager

Mpeke Makara is an Operations Manager based at the Letšeng Diamond Mine in Lesotho. He has more than 12 years of experience in the diamond processing industry in areas ranging from production and quality control to recovery operations.

Mpeke has been a member of the Minopex Lesotho Management Team for more than four years. He applies his valuable expertise within the operations division of the business.

Mpeke is a chemical engineering graduate of the University of Cape Town in South Africa. He is also an alumnus of the Gordon Institute of Business Science in Johannesburg where he completed a management development programme.



**Mokebe Bookholane**  
Human Resources  
Manager

Mokebe Bookholane is a Human Resources Manager based at the Letšeng Diamond Mine in Lesotho. Mokebe has extensive senior management experience in various industries, including aviation, construction, and mining.

Mokebe first joined Minopex (Lesotho) in January 2007 as a Localisation Officer and progressed through the ranks of the company to his current position.

Mokebe is a management graduate from the University of Stellenbosch Business School (USB). He also holds a diploma in Business Management and certificates in Business Administration, Industrial Relations and Public Relations.



**Durell Denysschen**  
Technical Manager

Durell Denysschen is a Technical Manager based at the Letšeng Diamond Mine in Lesotho. He has 41 years of experience in the mining industry in sectors ranging from diamonds and gold to chrome.

Durell has worked with Minopex (Lesotho) since 2001.

Durell holds a higher diploma in extractive metallurgy from the Zimbabwe School of Mines and a management certificate from Henley Business School.



**Tšitso Mofokeng**  
Production Manager

Tšitso Mofokeng is a Production Manager based at the Letšeng Diamond Mine in Lesotho. He has over 12 years of experience in diamond processing. His capabilities include people management, project management and commissioning, continuous improvement and problem-solving.

Tšitso joined Minopex (Lesotho) as a Process Attendant in 2008 and progressed to the position of site manager by 2018. His key achievements as a site manager include the reduction of unscheduled maintenance in the plants, improvement of plant performance in both 2018 and 2019, implementation of business transformation initiatives and improvement of plant warehouse stock counting.

Tšitso is a Metallurgist graduate from the Vaal University of Technology and has completed training in ISO 9001-2015 Implementation and Finance for Non-Finance Managers.



**Thapelo Holoane**  
Support Services  
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