

**PART ONE:**  
**CONTEXT—**  
**CONSOLIDATED**  
**GOLD FIELDS**



**Box 1. Consolidated Gold Fields Group—United Kingdom to Australia**

<b>The Gold Fields of South Africa, Limited 1887–1892</b>	Registered 9 February 1887 and listed on the London Stock Exchange Charles Rudd and Cecil Rhodes joint managing directors; also directors of the De Beers Mining Company
<b>The Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa, Limited 1892–1960</b>	Formed 2 August 1892 by amalgamation with three other South African companies Listed on the London Stock Exchange
<b>New Consolidated Gold Fields Limited</b>	Established 8 August 1919; subsidiary of The Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa to oversee investments outside South Africa
<b>Australian and New Guinea investments— from 1926</b>	Wiluna Gold Corporation, which owned Wiluna Gold Mines Lake View and Star Lake George Mining Corporation, which owned Lake George Mines Shareholdings in Gold Mines of Australia, Gold Exploration and Finance Company of Australia, Western Mining Corporation, Bulolo Gold Dredging (through The Gold Fields American Development Company), New Guinea Goldfields, Mining Corporation (Australia)
<b>Gold Fields Australian Development Company Limited</b>	Incorporated 5 November 1932, listed on London Stock Exchange Interests in Moonlight Wiluna Mine, Mount Ida Mine, Porphyry (1939) Gold Mine
<b>New Consolidated Gold Fields (Australasia) Pty Limited</b>	Registered 22 August 1956, 100 per cent owned by The Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa
<b>Consolidated Gold Fields Limited 1960–1989</b>	United Kingdom company; name changed to remove reference to South Africa
<b>Consolidated Gold Fields (Australia) Pty Limited</b>	Registered November 1960; all shares taken up by Gold Fields Mining & Industrial (renamed from The Gold Fields American Development Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of the London parent, formed in 1959 with responsibility for investments in Britain, Australia, Canada and the United States)
<b>Consolidated Gold Fields Australia Limited</b>	Registered 26 September 1966 with 22.7 per cent of its shares initially issued to Australian investors; remainder held by London parent

<b>Renison Goldfields Consolidated Limited</b>	Established 24 July 1981 with initial 51 per cent Australian ownership; remainder held by Consolidated Gold Fields. Hanson Plc acquired a 44 per cent shareholding in 1989, following acquisition of Consolidated Gold Fields. Name changed to RGC Limited in 1998. Delisted 17 November 1998 following merger, by scheme of arrangement, with Westralian Sands. Merged entity initially Westralian Sands; name changed to Iluka Resources in 1999
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