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Group companies to display engineering solutions

Specialist engineering group, PSV Holdings, will use this year's Electra Mining exposition to showcase products and services from nine subsidiary companies.

Visitors will find mining solutions from PSV Services, consumables from Omni-rapid and lining solutions from Group Line Projects. There will also be pumps on display from both Dasher and APE Pumps.

Umzantsi Africa will use the stand to launch its new knife-gate valve, the Geomet Mark II.

This valve, developed and manufactured by Dasher in South Africa, has been designed for higher-pressure applications than the Mark I.

Featuring a self-cleaning guide, it is offered in either polyurethane or rubber lined options, the latter moulded at elevated pressure and temperature to produce superior wear resistance that prevents the seat from clogging.

A gland packing seal eliminates leaks around the blade.

Three group companies, Rand Air & Gas, Petro-Logic and Engineering Linings, are first-time exhibitors at the exposition. They will showcase gas and cryogenic products and tanks, petroleum and diesel dispensing equipment, and linings for underground and surface dams.

PSV Holdings group business development manager **Dave Johnson** points out that 70% of the group's companies list mining among their most important target markets.

"Electra Mining is ranked among the world's premier mining exhibitions, so we want visitors to gain an understanding of the depth of the PSV group, and of our focus on customer service," says Johnson.

"Our stand will communicate the benefits of sourcing many different products from a single, solid and financially sound engineering group of companies." PSV Holdings listed on the Alternative Stock Exchange in 2006, and today has a confirmed forward order book in excess of R110-million.



Split-case pump typically used in mine-processing applications

Group subsidiaries hold key supply and maintenance contracts with mines throughout Central and Southern Africa.

Noteworthy among recent successes has been the vendor-held stock contract secured by PSV Services for the dewatering pumps at Mopani Copper Mines.

This five-year contract provides for the maintenance on site of specific stock levels of dewatering pumps and spares, and for the maintenance and replacement of pumps when necessary, leaving the copper mines free to focus on the primary activity of mining.

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