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## **On the rise**

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[miningmx.com] -- BLACK representation on the boards of South African mining houses has increased from 0% in 2001 to 37% currently, Business Day reported on Wednesday.

“This represents a significant shift since the mining charter was formulated in October 2002, said the newspaper, citing Landelahni Business CE, Sandra Burmeister.

“However, at other levels, representation in the mining industry trails the average across the industry,” said Burmeister.

The research done by Landelahni, covering 80% of the mining sector, shows that the number of non-engineering black and white executive directors in the mining industry grew between 2001 and 2004 but that the ratio between black and white remained static at about 13%, said the paper.



Sandra Burmeister, CEO,  
Landelahni