

The Suttie Group

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VP Operations/Country Manager - Mexico

The Suttie Group is working with a well-funded, Canadian mining company focused on the growth of its production, resources and reserves in Mexico. This position is responsible for the management and oversight of all aspects of new project development as well as currently producing underground mining and processing operations.

Reporting to the President the successful applicant will be responsible for leading the Mexican team to ensure the Company's operational goals and objectives are met. Responsibilities will include all aspects of the projects currently underway as well as a number of producing mines.

Key Duties & Responsibilities:

- Provide effective management for the Company, contractors, consultants and personnel on the properties.
- Lead the assessment of manpower, capital and equipment requirements to meet objectives
- Recommend courses of action designed to eliminate potential production problems and to improve operational efficiency and control production costs
- Liaise with mine and mill operations teams to ensure that the daily activities of each department are consistent with long range objectives
- Supervise the mine engineering
- Oversee the development of practical mining plans based on all available geological information to support daily & monthly intermediate and long-range planning and productivity goals
- Mine research: identify avenues where potential cost savings or earnings can be realized , i.e. explore new ideas through consultation with operations and mill personnel to ensure that the project continues to be an aggressive and competitive operation in the world market
- Evaluate & monitor mine plans and budgets
- Ensure applications as required are submitted to regulatory bodies in a timely manner.
- Lead in the preparation of work programs and budgets meeting the Company objectives so that work programs are achieved in a timely manner and under budget.
- Ensure commitments to regulatory bodies are respected.
- Ensure the Company meets its obligations under the terms and conditions of the local authorities.
- Participate in the preparation of corporate budgets and policies.

Requirements:

- Degree in Mine Engineering, Geology or related discipline.
- Proven leadership skills and has managed cross functional teams at a Senior level
- Has lead, designed and managed operating underground mines in Latin America
- Minimum of 20 years of HANDS ON work experience in an underground production setting.
- Additional experience with Open Pit an asset
- 5+ Years as a Mine Manager with progression to GM in an underground mine setting.
- Excellent understanding and respect for the Latino culture and familiar with Mexico's regulations
- Strong interpersonal and communications skills in fluent Spanish and English are required.
- Comfortable with presentations to all staff levels including the board room
- Experience in project management, logistics, construction, commissioning or start up, an asset
- Experience with mining related software an asset
- This position is based in Mexico.

If you are qualified for this position and are ready to take your career to the next level, please submit your resume in Word format (not PDF) to Elizabeth via the www.suttiegroup.com website.

Your confidentiality is assured and we look forward to representing you!