

MEDIA RELEASE

Russell Mineral Equipment to show new, unique maintenance solutions at Kalgoorlie's GME

Russell Mineral Equipment will showcase new technology for relining small mineral grinding mills on **Stand 3020** during the Goldfields Mining Expo (GME) at the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Racing Club from October 28-30, 2008.

The MILLMAST Mill Liner Handler has been designed and manufactured by the Queensland-based company for the relining of small grinding mills.

"This is the revolution in the relining of small grinding mills that the industry has been waiting for," RME's product manager Brett Morgan said.

Erected in minutes and capable of handling 400 kg, Millmast eliminates all heavy lifting and associated back injuries, she said.

"It is the most cost-effective way to dramatically reduce mill relining times, while improving reline crew safety."

Other products in RME's display at GME will include:

- RUSSELL Mill Relining Machines are suited to the largest-available mills using the heaviest liners and:
- THUNDERBOLT Recoilless Hammers are described as the fastest and safest way to remove liner bolts and worn liners from mill shells.

"Powerful and recoilless, they are the only product of their kind in the world.

"They were originally developed for grinding mill relining but now have wider application, particularly in general maintenance at leading mine sites worldwide, along with the THUNDERBOLT Turbo 500, a plant air intensifier which cleans plant air and boosts low site pressure for maximum air tool performance," Morgan said.

- O-ZONE Worn Liner Lifting Tools which immediately follow the "thunder strike" of the THUNDERBOLT and enable further significant reductions in reline times. O-ZONE Tools provide the quickest and safest method of lifting and removing worn liners from within the mill.

RME is committed to developing technology which optimises mining maintenance processes, reduces downtime and improves safety.

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