



DIVISION OF  
CORPORATION FINANCE

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

August 24, 2016

Via E-mail

Nicholas J. Holland  
Chief Executive Officer  
Gold Fields Limited  
150 Helen Road  
Sandown, Sandton, 2196  
South Africa

**Re: Gold Fields Limited**  
**Form 20-F for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2015**  
**Filed April 13, 2016**  
**File No. 001-31318**

Dear Mr. Holland:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filing and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filing to be certain that the filing includes the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

Sincerely,

/s/ Rufus Decker

Rufus Decker  
Accounting Branch Chief  
Office of Beverages, Apparel and  
Mining