

GOLD FIELDS LTD

Form 6-K

January 17, 2006

**FORM 6-K**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**Report of Foreign Private Issuer**

**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16**

**of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of January 2006

Commission File Number 1-31318

**Gold Fields Limited**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

24 St. Andrews Rd.

Parktown, 2193

South Africa

(Address of principal executive offices)

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**Bolivar Gold Plan of Arrangement Update**

*Johannesburg and Toronto, Canada, January 16, 2006* - Gold Fields Limited (NYSE/JSE: GFI) and Bolivar Gold Corp. (TSX:BGC) announced today that Scion Capital, LLC has delivered a notice of dissent in respect of its approximately 19% common share interest in Bolivar and that Gold Fields intends to waive the condition in section 7.2(e) of its Arrangement Agreement with Bolivar.

Gold Fields has also been advised by Scion Capital, LLC that it does not intend to proceed with the hearing before the Ontario court scheduled for Tuesday, January 17, 2006.

The Supreme Court of the Yukon Territory of Canada is scheduled to hear the plan of arrangement on Thursday, January 19, 2006. If court approval is obtained, the transaction is expected to close by the end of January 2006.

*Gold Fields is one of the world's largest unhedged gold producers, with annual gold production of approximately 4.2 million ounces from mines in South Africa, Ghana and Australia as well as a developing mine at Cerro Corona in Peru. The Company has reserves of 64.8 million ounces and mineral resources of 174.5 million ounces. Gold Fields has its primary listing on the Johannesburg Securities Exchange and secondary listings on the NYSE, LSE, Euronext in Paris and Brussels, and on the Swiss Exchange. All of Gold Fields' operations are ISO 14001 certified.*

*Bolivar Gold Corp. is a gold exploration, development and production company. At its 95%-owned Choco 10 property in Venezuela, drilling has confirmed near-surface proven and probable ore reserves of 1.3 million ounces. The 5,400 tonne per day Choco 10 operation commenced commercial production in August 2005.*

*Bolivar Gold intends to exploit this reserve while continuing to pursue the exploration potential of the Choco 10 property, as well as throughout the El Callao district in conjunction with its joint venture partner, Gold Fields Limited.*

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**Signatures**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: 16 January 2006

**GOLD FIELDS LIMITED**

By:

Name: Mr W J Jacobsz

Title: Senior Vice President: Investor  
Relations and Corporate Affairs