



## Colorado State Senate Recognizes CC&V's Safety Record

In a great honor for CC&V, Senator Tom Wiens recognized the exemplary safety record of CC&V on the floor of the Colorado State Senate on May 6, 2005. Larry Snyder, Harvey Haley, and Jane Mannon from CC&V were joined by Chuck Rech and Peter O'Connor from the AngloGold Ashanti Denver office for the presentation.

Senator Wiens and President of the Senate Joan Fitz-Gerald were presented One Million Man-Hours sweatshirts. President Fitz-Gerald recognized the contributions of mining to the State's economy and reminded the Senate that during the economic downturn the two industries that continued to employ people and be a major support to the economy were Gaming and Mining.

The proclamation read by Senator Wiens on the Senate floor states:

The Senate of the Colorado Legislature  
Hereby extends heartiest congratulations and commendation to:  
Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company  
Employees

in

Celebration of North American Occupational Safety and Health Week  
for

a safety record of more than one million work hours without a lost-time incident. Your hard work and diligent efforts in following safety protocol is a reminder to all of the importance for maintaining safety in the workplace. Emphasizing awareness and communication among the Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company employees reminds us safety is everyone's job. With more than 300 people working to keep the mine operating 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, it is an exemplary achievement to accomplish such a notable safety record. We, the Senate of the Sixty-fifty General Assembly commend you on this outstanding accomplishment.

On request of Senator Tom J. Wiens  
Given this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2005, State Capitol, Denver, Colorado

Signed by Joan Fitz-Gerald – President of the Senate