



NEWS RELEASE

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UPDATE ON WORK STOPPAGE AT IMPALA RUSTENBURG

EMBARGO: For immediate release

<p>Ticker symbols: JSE: Imp LSE: Ipla ADR: Impuy</p> <p>Queries: Implats Bob Gilmour +27 11 731 9013/43 +27 82 453 7100</p> <p>Website: www.implats.co.za</p>	<p>Impala Platinum Holdings Limited (Implats) wishes to advise that the majority of the mining workforce at its Impala Rustenburg operation failed to report for duty this morning, Wednesday 1 February 2012. Incidents of intimidation have been reported across the property.</p> <p>As the strike has been declared illegal, the Company, in line with its ultimatum, will initiate dismissal procedures. The Company will begin a process of rehiring for those employees who wish to reapply for their positions.</p> <p>Further announcements will be made in due course.</p> <p>[Ends]</p>
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