

## NEWS RELEASE

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### IMPLATS AWARDED METALS AND MINING INDUSTRY MOVER AWARD FOR SUSTAINABILITY

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**Johannesburg, 3 February 2022** – Impala Platinum Holdings Limited (Implats) is proud to be one of only four JSE-listed metals and mining companies to be included in the S&P Global Sustainability Yearbook 2022 and to be the only company awarded the Metals and Mining Industry Mover Award.

The Group achieved an overall 60% score for its integrated management approach to sustainability and its disclosures and performance across environmental, social and governance pillars. This is a marked improvement on the Group's 2020 score of 48%.

Nico Muller, Implats' Chief Executive Officer, said, *"Our notable achievement is testament to our commitment to and progress in embedding sustainability into the way we work. At Implats, we aspire to become an industry leader in ESG, producing metals that sustain livelihoods beyond mining."*

This year, more than 2 100 companies, representing over 45% of global market capitalisation, participated in the Corporate Sustainability Assessment, and over 7 500 companies were assessed for potential inclusion in the Yearbook. The S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment provides detailed ESG benchmarking insights on sustainability and business strategy. S&P global ESG scores are based on companies' ESG policies, programmes and in-depth ESG information.

To secure an Industry Mover Award, a company must achieve a score within the top 15% of their industry and register the strongest year-on-year improvement in their industry. To be listed in the S&P Global Sustainability Yearbook, companies must score within the top 15% of their industry and must achieve an S&P Global ESG Score within 30% of their industry's top-performing company. A total of 81 companies from the Mining and Metals industry took part in the 2021 Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI) corporate assessment. Of these, only 19 were finally included in the S&P Global Sustainability Yearbook 2022.

*"We must give kudos to our employees for this award as it is a focused and collective effort to deliver on our commitment to create a better future for all our stakeholders,"* added Muller.

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## **About Implats**

Impala Platinum Holding Limited (Implats) is a leading producer of platinum group metals (PGMs). Implats has six mining operations and its toll refining business, Impala Refining Services. Its mining operations span the Bushveld Complex in South Africa, the Great Dyke in Zimbabwe and the Canadian Shield and include Impala Rustenburg, Zimplats, Marula, Impala Canada's Lac des Iles, Mimosa and Two Rivers. The Group's head office is located in Johannesburg.

Implats employs more than 56 000 people across all operations and are focused on creating a better future. The Group aspires to deliver value through excellence and execution and its commitment to responsible stewardship and long-term value creation.

At the end of its 2021 financial year, the Group had PGM mineral resources of 277 million 6E ounce and mineral reserves of 53.4 million 6E ounces available. Group refined PGM production for FY2021 was 3.27 million ounces, which included 1.52 million ounces of platinum, 1.12 million ounces of palladium and 193 000 ounces of rhodium.

The metals produced by Implats are key to making many essential industrial, medical and electronic items - and they contribute to a cleaner, greener world. Implats actively develop markets for its PGM products, which are sold in South Africa, Japan, China, the US and Europe.

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