

MEDIA RELEASE

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Fatal accident at Rowland Shaft

It is with deep regret that Lonmin Plc confirms that Mr Zilindile Ndumela, a locomotive driver at Rowland Shaft was fatally injured following a mud slide on Monday 26 October 2015. No other employees were injured in the incident.

An investigation into the accident has begun, in conjunction with the Department of Mineral Resources and unions.

Mr Ndumela's family is being supported by the Company at this time.

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