

MEDIA RELEASE

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Fatality at JV Pandora E3 Shaft

It is with deep regret that Lonmin Plc confirms that Bonisile Mapango, winch driver at JV Pandora E3 Shaft, died on Friday 31 July 2015 as a result of injuries sustained in a scrapping and rigging accident that occurred on 20 May 2015. Mr Mapango was moved to ICU after the accident where he spent the last two months of his life.

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Lonmin's operations are situated in the Bushveld Complex in South Africa, where nearly 80% of known global PGM resources are found.

The Company creates value for shareholders through mining, refining and marketing PGMs and has a vertically integrated operational structure - from mine to market. Lonmin's mining operations extract ore from which the Process Division produces refined PGMs for delivery to customers. Underpinning the operations is the Shared Services function which provides high quality levels of support and infrastructure across the operations.

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