

ArcelorMittal South Africa Limited
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("ArcelorMittal South Africa")

ARCELORMITTAL SOUTH AFRICA AND SISHEN IRON ORE COMPANY
PROPRIETARY LIMITED ("SIOC")

Shareholders are advised that the Supreme Court of Appeals ("SCA") has dismissed the appeal by the Department of Mineral Resources and Imperial Crown Trading 289 ("ICT") against the North Gauteng High Court judgment, delivered in December 2011, which held that SIOC was granted exclusive rights to mine iron ore at the Sishen mine in 2008 and set aside the granting of prospecting rights to ICT.

The SCA has thus upheld the relief which was sought by ArcelorMittal South Africa in the High Court proceedings. The ruling paves the way for ArcelorMittal South Africa and SIOC to resume the arbitration process that was postponed pending the outcome of the SCA ruling.

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