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Dear Sirs

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**RULE 12G3-2 EXEMPTION, REGISTRATION NO 82.191
LONMIN PLC (FORMERLY KNOWN AS LONRHO PLC)**

In accordance with Rule 12g3-2(a)(2)(b)(1)A(i)(ii) I enclose hereto copies of the Company's recent news releases in respect of the appointment of a new Director, Mr M Hartnall, and a Strategic Consultant, Mr B Gilbertson.

Yours faithfully

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Assistant Secretary

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News Release Issued By Lonmin Plc on Thursday 8 May 2003

APPOINTMENT OF NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Board of Lonmin Plc is pleased to announce the appointment today of Michael Hartnall as an independent non-Executive Director of the company.

Michael Hartnall (60) has been Finance Director of Rexam Plc since 1987 and will retire from that office at Rexam's Annual General Meeting on 15 May 2003. Prior to joining Rexam he was Managing Director of Mayhew Foods Plc. He is currently also a non-executive director of Elementis and Focus Wickes Plc.

Michael Hartnall has also been appointed to the Lonmin Board's Audit and Remuneration Committees.

News Release Issued By Lonmin Plc on Wednesday 14 May 2003

Lonmin retains Brian Gilbertson as consultant to the Group

The Board of Lonmin intends to re-examine the potential for developing Lonmin as an international diversified mining company based on its just foundation of South African platinum group metals production. To this end the Board of Lonmin is pleased to announce that it has retained Brian Gilbertson under a consultancy agreement to provide advice to the Board on its future corporate development.

Brian will assist the Board to adapt to the new Black Economic Empowerment requirements of the South African Government and to position Lonmin to enhance shareholder value during the consequent far-reaching changes in the corporate structure of the mining industry.

The agreement will be for an initial period of one year. Brian will provide advice directly to the Board of Lonmin, working alongside Edward Haslam, Chief Executive.

Edward Haslam, Chief Executive of Lonmin, said:

"Brian's long and successful experience in the resources industry generally, and in the platinum mining business in particular, makes him uniquely well qualified to assist the Board in determining and implementing the best strategy for Lonmin. My team and I look forward to working with Brian."

John Craven, Chairman of Lonmin, said:

"We are delighted to have secured the services of Brian Gilbertson, which will enhance enormously the strategic options open to the Board in the development of the Company's future growth in shareholder value."

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