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New CFO for Implats

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<p>Ticker symbols: JSE: Imp LSE: Ipla ADRs: Impuy</p> <p>www.implats.co.za</p> <p>Queries: David Brown +27 11 731 9042/56</p> <p>Bob Gilmour + 27 11 731 9013 + 27 82 448 2447</p>	<p>It is with great pleasure that Implats announces the appointment of Dawn Earp as the new Chief Financial Officer. She will join the group with effect from 1 March 2007. Dawn is currently Executive Officer: Finance at AngloGold Ashanti, a multi-listed global company where she has been for last six years. Prior to this she worked for a 10 year period at Anglo American.</p> <p>She is currently the Chamber of Mines representative on the Accounting Practices Board of SAICA and has had exposure to both international financial reporting standards and US GAAP. In addition, she is the Chairperson of the Audit and Remuneration Committee for the Rand Refinery. She brings a wealth of mining knowledge to the group and will be a great asset to the Implats team.</p> <p>Ends</p>
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