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Further to our telephone conversation this morning, Zimplats request a trading halt until we are in a position to release an announcement this morning regarding the Barbican offer to Zimplats minority shareholders.

I do not anticipate the trading halt to be in place for more than 1 hour. We are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely

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