

**Tharisa plc**

(Incorporated in the Republic of Cyprus with limited liability)

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('Tharisa')

**Fatality at the Voyager concentrator plant at the Tharisa Mine**

Tharisa regrets to announce the death of an employee at the Voyager processing plant on Wednesday, 5 November 2014, in an accident which occurred during routine maintenance.

All operations at the Genesis and Voyager plants have been suspended pending a full investigation into the fatality, which has already commenced in conjunction with the South African Department of Mineral Resources. The mining operations are not affected by the suspension.

The board of directors, management and employees of the Tharisa group extend their sincere condolences to the family, friends and colleagues of the deceased.

Safety remains a top priority and Tharisa will continue to strive for zero harm at our operations. Prior to this fatality, the Tharisa Mine had achieved 8 079 694 fatality free hours, with a lost time injury frequency rate of 0.2 per 200 000 hours.

Paphos, Cyprus  
6 November 2014

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