



## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

**19 March 2013**

### **MARIKANA COMMISSION TO CONDUCT AN IN-LOCO INSPECTION**

The Marikana Commission of Inquiry will conduct an in-loco inspection at the scene of the events of the 13 August 2012 in Marikana. The specific area, which is the subject of inspection, is the vicinity of the K3 Shaft near the railway line in Marikana. This is also the place where General Mpenbe of the South African Police Service addressed the striking miners on that day and where two police officers and three civilians sustained fatal injuries.

The recommended assembly point is the Marikana Police Station at 09:00.

The purpose of this site inspection is the pointing out of specific areas that are of interest to the Commission.

Details are as follows:

Date: 20 March 2013;

Time: 09:30 – 13:00;

Venue: Marikana Police Station;

The inspection in loco will be concluded by 13:00. The Commission's hearings at the Rustenburg Civic Centre will resume on Monday 25 March at 10:00 and will continue until Thursday 28 March 2013.

Meanwhile, the cross examination of the South African Police Service's National Commissioner, General Ria Phiyega, which started today will continue next week on Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> March 2013.

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