

MARKET NOTICE

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SUBJECT: JSE BUSINESS CONTINUITY AND SECURITY PLANS

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Dear Market Participants,

The JSE is saddened by the social unrest that has been taking place across the country in the last few days. We remain committed to our marketplace and are fully vested in all efforts to restore our country's stability and to rebuild our nation.

The JSE would like to reassure market participants that the exchange is operating normally, and we have well established business continuity and security plans. At this stage the impact on JSE operations is limited, but our crisis committee is fully operational and we are proactively considering various scenarios and possible responses that may be necessary to mitigate the risk on all possible areas of impact, including our staff, network connectivity, diesel and water supply. We are in regular contact with the regulators and financial sector disaster management structures. Robust emergency evacuation plans, as well as additional security arrangements are in place to safeguard the JSE building in Sandton, the JSE Investor Services (JIS) premises in Braamfontein and our Disaster Recovery site.

Remote Working

The JSE is operating on a fully remote working basis, with a very limited number of employees working from the JSE building. Remote working remains the default approach and will remain in place.

Markets

Markets remain fully operational. The JSE has proactively prepared its operational teams to expect increased market volatility, severe price movements and high volumes. Teams are currently on high alert and monitoring trading activity closely.

Industry Impact

We encourage members to please escalate their entity considerations, business impact and contingency plans to the JSE, where relevant.

Should you have any questions on these new developments, please feel free to contact our Group Chief Risk Officer, Nicola Comminos on nicolac@jse.co.za or our Client Service Centre on CustomerSupport@jse.co.za

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