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21<sup>st</sup> February 2005

**Lapp Plats plc (“Lapp Plats” or the “Company”)  
Holding in Company**

Lapp Plats announces that it has been informed on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2005 that Minmet plc no longer has a notifiable interest in the share capital in the Company.

Lapp Plats has received notification on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2005 from Tom and Philomena O’Gorman that they have jointly acquired 3,430,499 ordinary shares in Lapp Plats to bring their total shareholding in the Company to 3,837,166 ordinary shares representing 29.9% of the issued ordinary shares in the Company.

The Company has also received notification from Handsel Limited on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2005, a UK registered company, that it has acquired 3,279,501 ordinary shares in Lapp Plats representing 25.55% of the issued share capital in the Company. The beneficial owner of Handsel Limited is Mr. Was Shakoor.

The Directors of Lapp Plats accept responsibility for the content of this announcement.

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