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Dear Sirs/ Madam.

This has reference to your letter dated June 9, 2015, with respect to the news article "UK Unions Plan Strike at Tata Steel on June 22, 2015".

In this connection, we wish to inform you that Tata Steel UK Limited ("TSUK" - indirect subsidiary of Tata Steel Limited) has learnt of the strike from the press statement issued by the Unions. The said press statement is enclosed for your reference.

TSUK has not received any formal notice from the Unions with respect to the said strike. TSUK will issue appropriate statements upon receiving formal notice.

Accordingly, the Company (Tata Steel Limited) will make necessary disclosures to the exchanges and investors at the appropriate time.

This is for your information and records.

Yours faithfully, Tata Steel Limited

(Parvatheesam K)
Company Secretary

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Unions announce Tata Steel strike date

08 June 2015

Steel unions have agreed Monday 22 June as the date for strike action at Tata Steel in their ongoing pensions dispute.



The strike action will be preceded by action short of strike action involving an overtime ban and a work to rule. The action short of strike action will begin as soon as legally practical around the middle of next week.

Roy Rickhuss, Chair of the National Trade Union Steel Co-ordinating Committee, and General Secretary of the Community trade union, said:

"Tata have given us no option but to take industrial action. The company has not shown any willingness to return to meaningful negotiations to find an end to this dispute. Our members are determined to stand up for their pensions. They delivered a massive vote in favour of industrial action, so that is what will happen. An overtime ban and work-to-rule will cause massive disruption to Tata's operations and severely limit production. The company could avoid this by returning to the table. But in the meantime all the unions will also be making preparations for a national day of strike action on 22 June."

Paul Reuter, National Officer at Unite said:

"We are still open to talks if Tata are prepared for meaningful discussions. We have offered Tata the savings it says it needs. But the company wants to close the scheme altogether. This is not acceptable to workers, which is why industrial action will start next week."

Dave Hulse, GMB National Officer, said:

"It's time Tata got back round the table and looked for a way to resolve this dispute. Our members are ready for industrial action and the company should heed the message that their workforce is delivering."

Nick Blundell, Regional Secretary for UCATT said:

"Tata should listen to its workforce and recognise that to resolve this dispute it needs to get back round the table with the unions for meaningful discussions. Industrial action is a last resort for any union but Tata has given us no choice."

Unions must give seven days' notice of any industrial action.

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Notes

For information about the results of Community's industrial action ballot, click here.

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