

ASX Announcement

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## LULO DIAMOND PLANT UPDATE

**Lucapa Diamond Company Limited (ASX: LOM)** is pleased to report the Company is set to commence the final completion and commissioning stage for the new \$US5 million Dense Media Separation (DMS) diamond plant at the Lulo Diamond Project in Angola.

This follows confirmation that Lucapa's senior plant engineer had received a visa to return to Angola from Johannesburg to oversee the completion and commissioning of the Company's new 50 tonne per hour DMS plant.

As announced to the ASX on 3 October 2013, construction of the DMS plant is nearing completion, but has been held up due to delays related to visa renewals.

During this time, Lucapa has been excavating and stockpiling gravels from the BLK\_18 area to process through the new DMS plant for the commissioning phase. BLK\_18 (Figure 1) is located close to the new DMS plant site.

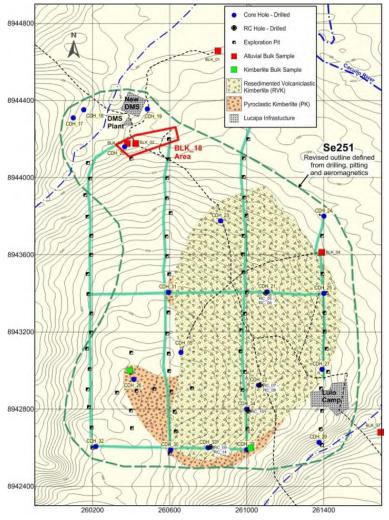


Figure 1: Location of Se251 kimberlite pipe and BLK\_18 area

Lucapa is also stockpiling kimberlite sample excavated from the high-priority ~220 hectare Se251 pipe (Figure 1) for processing through the new DMS plant, once it is commissioned.

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