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Dear Sir or Madam

11 August 2014

Electronic Lodgement – Standard & Poor's Announcement

In accordance with the listing rules, I attach a copy of an ASX Announcement for release to the market.

Yours faithfully

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Daniella Pereira Company Secretary

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Standard & Poor's Announcement

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT – 11 August 2014

Incitec Pivot Limited (**ASX: IPL**) notes that Standard & Poor's (**S&P**) has today issued a press release stating that IPL's 'BBB' credit rating has been affirmed with the outlook revised to negative (previously 'stable').

The revised outlook reflects the significant investment being made to construct a world scale ammonia plant in Louisiana, USA. IPL notes that the scope, timing and cost of the project remain unchanged from sanction and that the project is on track and due for completion in 2016.

IPL continues to maintain three investment grade credit ratings (S&P BBB, Moody's Baa3 and Fitch BBB), and the Company confirms that this change does not impact any of its existing committed financing facilities.

Yours faithfully

Daniella Pereira Company Secretary

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About Incitec Pivot

Incitec Pivot (ASX: IPL), a S&P/ASX company, is a leading global company which manufactures, markets and distributes a range of industrial explosives, fertilisers, related products and services to customers around the world. A leader in its chosen markets, the Company holds a portfolio of recognised and trusted brands and is the No. 1 supplier of fertilisers in Australia and the No 1 supplier of industrial explosives, related products and services in North America. Employing approximately 5,000 people, IPL owns and operates manufacturing plants in Australia, USA, Canada, Turkey, Mexico, Chile and Indonesia and has joint venture operations, including in South Africa, Malaysia and China.