

## PRESS RELEASE

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### **Norzinco S.A., subsidiary of the RECYLEX group, has initiated the process to stop its business activity in Anzin (France)**

Norzinco S.A., subsidiary of the Recylex group, has announced yesterday having initiated the process to stop its zinc products recycling business activity in Anzin (France). This activity was in structural deficit for several years, except in 2006, in a declining European zinc oxide market.

Norzinco S.A. has undertaken to support at best each of the 34 employees of the company in his reconversion and to deal with any possible environmental nuisance caused by its activity.

Recylex S.A. remains focused on the implementation of its continuation plan approved by the Commercial Court of Paris on November 24, 2005.

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#### ***Recylex: Recycle, Transform, Enhance***

*Recylex specializes in recycling lead and plastic (from automobile and industrial batteries), recycling zinc from steel mill dust, and producing zinc oxides and special metals for the electronics industry. It operates in France, Germany and Belgium.*

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