

MARKET RELEASE

24 November 2009

Mineral Resources Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Mineral Resources Limited (the "Company") will be placed in pre-open at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in pre-open until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Friday, 27 November 2009 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code:

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Mr Nicholas Ong, Senior Adviser, Issuers (Perth) Australian Stock Exchange Limited Level 8, Exchange Plaza 2 The Esplanade PERTH WA 6000

Dear Nicholas,

Request for Trading Halt

Pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1, Mineral Resources Limited hereby requests a trading halt on its securities effective immediately.

The trading halt is requested until the commencement of trading on Friday, 27 November 2009 or upon the release by the Company of a further announcement to the market regarding a corporate transaction.

The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours Sincerely

Bruce Goulds

Company Secretary