



MARKET RELEASE

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Macquarie Harbour Mining Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Macquarie Harbour Mining 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 Monday, 19 October 2009 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: MHM
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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'J. Hewitt'.

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Dear Mr Ong

Macquarie Harbour Mining Limited (MHM) - Request for Trading Halt

Macquarie Harbour Mining Limited ("MHM" or "the Company") requests an immediate trading halt of its securities pursuant to Listing Rule 17.1.

The Company is seeking a trading halt pending an announcement in relation to a capital raising.

MHM can see no reason why a trading halt should not be granted or of any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt, and it is expected that the announcement will be made and halt lifted prior to the commencement of trading on Monday 19 October 2009.

Yours sincerely

Ben Mead
Company Secretary