

Market Announcement

9 August 2019

Australian Pacific Coal Limited (ASX: AQC) - Trading Halt

Description

The securities of Australian Pacific Coal Limited ('AQC') will be placed in trading halt at the request of AQC, pending it releasing an announcement. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in trading halt until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Tuesday, 13 August 2019 or when the announcement is released to the market.

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Request for Trading Halt

In accordance with Listing Rule 17.1 Australian Pacific Coal Limited (AQC, the Company) hereby requests an immediate trading halt:

1. Reason for the requested trading halt:

The Company requests a trading halt to be granted pending the release of a forthcoming announcement associated with the application to modify the mining consent for the Dartbrook Coal Mine (MOD 7). The application was first announced to the ASX on 1 March 2018 titled "Application Lodged for Recommencement of Mining". The Company has been informed that it will be notified of the decision by the Independent Planning Commission during business hours today 9 August 2019.

- 2. Trading halt to last until no later than market open on Monday 12 August 2019.
- 3. Event that the Company expects to happen that will end the trading halt:

Announcement(s) regarding the outcome of MOD 7.

4. The Company has no other public information necessary to inform the market further about the trading halt.

Yours faithfully

Andrew Roach Company Secretary, Australian Pacific Coal Limited