



MARKET RELEASE

14 November 2012

Stratum Metals Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Stratum Metals Limited (the "Company") will be placed in Trading Halt Session State at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in Trading Halt Session State until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Friday, 16 November 2012 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: SXT

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14 November 2012

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Dear Wade

Trading Halt Request

Stratum Metals Limited ('Stratum Metals' or 'the Company') hereby requests a trading halt from ASX effective immediately, pending an announcement regarding a substantial acquisition.

Stratum Metals requests the trading halt last from receipt of the request until the release of the announcement, in any case no later than the commencement of trading Friday 16 November 2012.

Stratum Metals is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Stratum Metals is not aware of any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt.

Should you have any queries regarding the above I will be happy to discuss such matters with you.

Yours faithfully

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