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29 July 2005

MOTO GOLDMINES LIMITED

TRADING HALT

The securities of Moto Goldmines 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 Tuesday, 2 August 2005 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Codes:

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Jill Hewitt

Companies Adviser



29 July 2005

Ms Marian Tang Australian Stock Exchange Limited 2 The Esplanade Perth WA 6000

By facsimile: 08 9221 2020

Dear Ms Tang

REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

Moto Goldmines Limited requests that you arrange a trading halt for the Company pending the release of an announcement in relation to a transaction. The announcement will be made, at the latest, prior to the market opening on Tuesday 2 August 2004.

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

Yours faithfully

Patrick Flint Director