

EMPIRE ENERGY GROUP LIMITED

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17 APRIL 2018

TRADING HALT REQUEST

Dear Mr Kabega

Empire Energy Group Limited ("Empire" or "the Company") requests a trading halt be granted by the ASX for its securities immediately.

For the purpose of Listing Rule 17.1, the Company provides the following information:

- 1. The trading halt is requested pending an announcement by the Company concerning the lifting of the Northern Territory Fracking Moratorium;
- 2. The Company requests that the trading halt remain in place until the earlier of the release of an announcement by the Company or 10am on Wednesday, 18 April 2018; and
- 3. The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely

Lisa Dadswell Company Secretary