

Market Announcement

24 December 2018

Highlands Pacific Limited (ASX: HIG) - Trading Halt

Description

The securities of Highlands Pacific Limited ('HIG') will be placed in trading halt at the request of HIG, 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 Friday, 28 December 2018 or when the announcement is released to the market.

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Dear Chris

Highlands Pacific - Request for Trading Halt

Pursuant to Listing Rule 17.1, the Board of Directors hereby request that a trading halt be applied to Highlands Pacific Limited (HIG) securities pending the release of an announcement in relation to a potential control transaction.

It is expected that an announcement will be made before trading commences on Friday 28 December 2018. It is requested that the trading halt last until the announcement regarding the transaction is made.

We confirm that the Company is not aware of any reason that the trading halt should not be granted.

Sincerely Highlands Pacific Limited

Sylvie Moser

Company Secretary