



# Market Announcement

28 November 2019

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## Smartpay Holdings Limited (ASX: SMP) – Trading Halt

### Description

The securities of Smartpay Holdings Limited ('SMP') will be placed in trading halt at the request of SMP, 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 Monday, 2 December 2019 or when the announcement is released to the market.

### Issued by

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**Request for trading halt: Smartpay Holdings Limited (ASX Code: SMP, NZX Code: SPY)**

We request a trading halt to be applied to Smartpay Holdings Limited's ("**Smartpay**") ordinary shares (ASX Code: SMP, NZX Code: SPY) ("**Ordinary Shares**") under ASX Listing Rule 17.1 and NZX Listing Rule 9.9.1(a) and set out below details of the request as per the rules of each of ASX and NZX.

We would like the trading halt to commence from the commencement of trading on 28 November 2019.

**Reasons for trading halt:** Smartpay is in the process of finalising a transaction ("**Transaction**") which it considers is likely to be material information for its shareholders and the wider market. Smartpay expects to be in a position to release the announcement detailing the Transaction in the course of today.


**How long we want the trading halt to last:** We request that trading of the Ordinary Shares be halted prior to the opening of the market this morning (28 November 2019) until the earlier of the opening of the market on 29 November 2019, and Smartpay releasing an announcement regarding the Transaction on 28 November 2019. The Ordinary Shares would, therefore, resume trading from the opening of the market on 29 November 2019 or upon an announcement regarding the Transaction on 28 November 2019.

**The event we expect to happen that will end the trading halt:** The earlier of the opening of the market on 29 November 2019, and Smartpay releasing an announcement regarding the Transaction, on 28 November 2019.

**Other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt or that ASX or NZX have requested:** N/A

**Information to include in any market memorandum relating to the halt: N/A**

We confirm that we are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.  
Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized 'R' and 'B' followed by a long horizontal line.

Rowena Bowman  
Company Secretary