



# Market Announcement

16 May 2023

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## Appen Limited (ASX: APX) – Trading Halt

### Description

The securities of Appen Limited ('APX') will be placed in trading halt at the request of APX, pending it releasing an announcement regarding the outcome of the institutional component of the accelerated entitlement offer. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in trading halt until the commencement of normal trading on Wednesday, 17 May 2023.

### Issued by

**Ramona Seeto**

Adviser, Listings Compliance

16 May 2023

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Dear Madam

**Request for Trading Halt – Appen Limited**

Pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1, Appen Limited (ACN 138 878 298) (**Appen**) requests the immediate implementation of a trading halt in its ordinary shares (**ASX Code: APX**) to apply from the commencement of trading today, Tuesday, 16 May 2023.

Appen provides the following information for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 17.1.

- (a) The trading halt is requested as Appen expects to make an announcement to ASX in connection with a pro rata accelerated non-renounceable entitlement offer and institutional placement (the **Offer**).
- (b) Appen requests that the trading halt remain in place until the earlier of:
  - (i) Appen making an announcement to the market regarding the outcome of the institutional component of the Offer; and
  - (ii) the commencement of trading on Wednesday, 17 May 2023.
- (c) Appen is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted or of any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt.

Please contact me if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely



Carl Middlehurst  
Company Secretary