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Attention Mr Kobe Zheng Li

Dear Kobe,

REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

Octanex N.L. ("the Company") (ASX Codes: *OXX* and *OXXCB*) requests that a trading halt be placed on its shares.

The trading halt is sought with immediate effect.

The reason for the trading halt is that the Company expects to shortly be in a position to make a significant announcement in relation to a proposed placement to a strategic investor.

The Company expects the trading halt to continue until the Company is in a position to make that announcement.

The Company anticipates making an announcement before the commencement of trading on Thursday, 30 October 2014.

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

Yours faithfully
OCTANEX N.L.

Graeme Menzies
Director
Octanex NL