

MARKET RELEASE

8 December 2016

Zinc of Ireland NL

TRADING HALT

The securities of Zinc of Ireland NL (the "Company") will be placed in Trading Halt Session State at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in Trading Halt Session State until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Monday, 12 December 2016, or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: ZMI

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ZINC OF IRELAND NL

ASX Announcement

8 December 2016

REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 17.1, Zinc of Ireland NL (ASX: ZMI) ("ZMI" or "Company") requests an immediate trading halt of its securities pending the release of an announcement relating to exploration results.

The Company requests that the trading halt remains in place until the earlier of such time it makes and announcement to the market regarding the exploration results and the commencement of trading on Monday 12 December 2016.

Zinc of Ireland NL is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted, nor any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt.

Yours faithfully,

Patrick Corr

Non-Executive Chairman

Zinc of Ireland NL