



MARKET RELEASE

14 May 2015

Sandfire Resources NL

TRADING HALT

The securities of Sandfire Resources 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, 18 May 2015 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: SFR

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14 May 2015

Mr Sebastian Bednarczyk
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Dear Sebastian

REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT: Sandfire Resources NL (ASX: SFR)

Pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1, Sandfire Resources NL (“the Company”) requests a trading halt on the Company’s securities (ASX code: SFR).

In accordance with Listing Rules 17.1, we advise that:

- a) the trading halt is requested pending a material transaction in the Company’s ordinary shares;
- b) Sandfire requests the trading halt to remain in place until the earlier of such time as it makes an announcement to the market in relation to the transaction and the commencement of trading on 18 May 2015; and
- c) Sandfire 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 sincerely,

Matthew Fitzgerald
Chief Financial Officer and
Joint Company Secretary