



MARKET RELEASE

21April 2016

Great Western Exploration Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Great Western Exploration Limited (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 Tuesday 26 April 2016 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: GTE

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21th April 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

Pursuant to Listing Rule 17.1. Great Western Exploration Limited (ASX: GTE) hereby requests a trading halt in respect of its securities.

It is requested that the trading halt be effective immediately.

The trading halt is requested pending an announcement regarding the possible acquisition of an unlisted public company that has made a promising new gold discovery.

Great Western Exploration Limited requests that the trading halt remain in place until the earliest of the commencement of normal trading on Tuesday 26 April 2016, or until the release of an announcement in respect of the above matter.

Great Western Exploration Limited is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely



Jordan Luckett
Managing Director
Great Western Exploration Limited