

MARKET RELEASE

18 December 2012

Kaboko Mining Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Kaboko Mining 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 Thursday, 20 December 2012 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code:

KAB

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MINING LTD ABN 93 107 316 683

ASX Announcement

18 December 2012

Mr Wade Baggott Issuers (Perth) Australian Securities Exchange Level 8, Exchange Plaza 2 The Esplanade PERTH WA 6000

Dear Mr Baggott

Trading Halt Request

Kaboko Mining Limited (ASX: KAB) (Kaboko or the Company) requests a trading halt in relation to all of the quoted securities of the Company to apply from the commencement of trading Tuesday, 18 December 2012.

In accordance with Listing Rule 17.1, the Company provides the following information in relation to this request.

- (a) The Company requests a trading halt pending an announcement in relation to the Debt Facility and Offtake Agreement with Noble Resources Ltd.
- (b) The Company requests that the trading halt remain in place until the earlier of such time as it makes an announcement in relation to the Debt Facility and Offtake Agreement with Noble Resources Ltd, and the commencement of trading Thursday, 20 December 2012.
- (c) The Company is not aware of any reason why a trading halt should not be granted.

Should you have any queries or would like to discuss this matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Shannon Robinson

Director

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About Kaboko Mining Limited

Kaboko Mining Limited (ASX:KAB) is a an ASX listed exploration, development and mining company primarily focused on establishing itself as a major producer and exporter of high grade manganese ore from its portfolio of assets in Zambia. Kaboko currently holds majority interests in 5 large scale prospecting licenses and 3 small scale mining



licenses covering over 2,700km² in established and highly prospective manganese mining regions in Zambia. The Company is focused on resource definition drilling and exploration across its large license holdings and establishing long-term sustainable production of a high grade and high quality manganese ore from its Emmanuel, Kanona and Mansa, Northern Zambian Projects. In 2012 the Company has concluded strategic off-take and funding agreements with Sinosteel Australia Limited and Noble Resources Limited that are proposed to be used to complete further exploration and to advance its projects towards full-scale commercial production.