



MARKET RELEASE

1 December 2014

Argent Minerals Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Argent Minerals 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 Wednesday, 3 December 2014 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: ARD
 ARDO

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REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 7.1 Argent Minerals Limited (ASX: ARD, Argent, Argent Minerals or the Company) requests an immediate trading halt to be placed on its securities pending the release of an announcement regarding a proposed capital raising.

Argent expects the trading halt will be required for a period not exceeding the commencement of trading on the second day following the date of this request, in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 17.1.1 and ASX Operating Rule 16.4.2, and that an announcement regarding the proposed capital raising will likely be made before the commencement of normal trade on 3 December 2014.

Argent is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted, nor of any other information relevant to this request.

Yours sincerely,

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