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AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE

# MARKET RELEASE

16 March 2009

**Strike Resources Limited**

## SUSPENSION FROM OFFICIAL QUOTATION

The securities of Strike Resources Limited (the "Company") will be suspended from quotation immediately, at the request of the Company, pending release of the Company's half yearly accounts.

Security Code: SRK

Wade Baggott  
**Adviser, Issuers (Perth)**

# STRIKE RESOURCES LIMITED

16 March 2009

ASX Limited  
Level 8  
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Attention: Mr Wade Baggott  
Companies Advisor

By Facsimile: (08) 9221 2020

Dear Mr Baggott,

## REQUEST FOR VOLUNTARY SUSPENSION FOR STRIKE RESOURCES LIMITED (SRK OR STRIKE)

We note the following matters in relation to the Company's Directors' Report, financial report and auditor's review report, for the half year ended 31 December 2008 (Half Year Reports) which are due to be lodged on ASX on 16 March 2009:

- The Strike consolidated group includes Peruvian controlled companies/subsidiaries - Apurimac Ferrum S.A. (68.15% held by Strike) and Strike Resources Peru S.A.C. (100% held by Strike);
- The financial statements of Apurimac Ferrum S.A. and Strike Resources Peru S.A.C. are currently still being audited in Peru and will not be finalised by close of business today; and
- As such, Strike and Strike's Australia auditors are unable to complete the review of Strike's Half Year Reports, by close of business today.

We therefore request a voluntary suspension from quotation of the Company's listed securities (SRK shares) to allow for additional time (anticipated to be within -2 business days) for Strike's Peruvian and Australian auditors to complete their audit/review of Strike's Half Year Reports.

The following information is provided in relation to this voluntary suspension request pursuant to Listing Rule 17.2:

(1) Reasons for the suspension	As a consequence of a delay in the completion of audits of Strike's Peruvian controlled companies/subsidiaries - Apurimac Ferrum S.A. and Strike Resources Peru S.A.C. - causing a delay in the completion of the review of Strike's Half Year Reports, which are due to be lodged on ASX on 16 March 2009.
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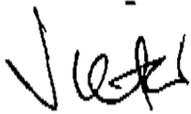
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(2) Length of suspension	Until commencement of trading on the day after the Company's Half Year Reports are lodged with ASX - the Company expects this to occur within the next 2 business days
(3) Events expected to happen to end the suspension	Upon the release of the Company's Half Year Reports referred to in (1)
(4) Reasons why suspension should not be granted	SRK is unaware of any reasons why a suspension should not be granted
(5) Any other information necessary to inform the market about the suspension	SRK does not have any other information necessary to inform the market about the suspension, pending the release of an announcement referred to in (1)

Yours Sincerely,



Victor Ho  
Director and Company Secretary