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Quickstep Holdings Limited**TRADING HALT**

The securities of Quickstep Holdings Limited (the "Company") will be placed in pre-open at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in pre-open until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Tuesday, 10 March 2009 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: QHL

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Attention: Hendrike Koehler

Dear Hendrike

Request for Trading Halt

Quickstep Holdings Limited (ASX:QHL) (Quickstep) requests a trading halt pending the release of an announcement regarding a significant funding agreement prior to the commencement of trading on Tuesday 10 March 2009.

Quickstep is not aware of any reason the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely

Peter Williams
Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary