

Market Announcement

20 April 2018

The Hydroponics Company Limited – Trading Halt

Description

The securities of The Hydroponics Company Limited (the 'Company') will be placed in trading halt 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 until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Tuesday, 24 April 2018 or when the announcement is released to the market.

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Dear Ms Hope,

Request for a Trading Halt

Pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1 The Hydroponics Company Limited (**Company**) requests a trading halt in the Company's securities pending an announcement to the market regarding a material acquisition by the Company.

The Company anticipates that the trading halt will be lifted on or before 24 April 2018 by provision of an announcement to the ASX with respect to the material acquisition.

The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely

Henry Kinstlinger
Joint Company Secretary