



Market Announcement

18 October 2023

Whitehaven Coal Limited (ASX: WHC) – Trading Halt

Description

The securities of Whitehaven Coal Limited ('WHC') will be placed in trading halt at the request of WHC, pending it releasing an announcement. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in trading halt until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Friday, 20 October 2023 or when the announcement is released to the market.

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REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

Whitehaven Coal Limited (ACN 124 425 396) (WHC) requests the implementation of a trading halt in its ordinary shares (ASX: WHC) pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1 from the commencement of trading today, Wednesday 18 October 2023.

For the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 17.1, WHC provides the following information:

- WHC is seeking the trading halt pending an announcement in relation to its participation in the sale of the Daunia and Blackwater metallurgical coal mines by BHP Mitsubishi Alliance (the Acquisition);
- WHC requests that the trading halt remains in place until the earlier of:
 - making of an announcement to the market regarding the outcome of the Acquisition; and
 - the commencement of trading on Friday 20 October 2023; and
- WHC is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted or of any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt.

Please contact me if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy Burt".

Timothy Burt
General Counsel and Company Secretary