



# Market Announcement

3 August 2021

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## Essential Metals Limited (ASX: ESS) – Trading Halt

### Description

The securities of Essential Metals Limited ('ESS') will be placed in trading halt at the request of ESS, 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 Thursday, 5 August 2021 or when the announcement is released to the market.

### Issued by

**Laura Gomme**

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# ESSENTIAL METALS

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Attention: Trading Halts Perth  
By email: [tradinghaltspert@asx.com.au](mailto:tradinghaltspert@asx.com.au)

## Request for Trading Halt

Dear Raj

Essential Metals Limited (ASX:ESS) (ACN 103 423 981) (**Essential**) requests that its securities be placed in a trading halt from the commencement of trade today.

Essential provides the following information in relation to this request pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1:

1. The trading halt is requested by Essential for the purposes of, and in connection with, an equity raising to be undertaken by way of a share placement (**Placement**).
2. Essential requests that the trading halt remain in place until the earlier of pre-open on the day on which either:
  - a) an announcement being made about the completion of the Placement; or
  - b) the commencement of trading on 5 August 2021.
3. Essential is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted or any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt.

Please contact me if you require any additional information.

Yours sincerely

Carl Travaglini  
Company Secretary  
Essential Metals Limited

### ASX Code: ESS

#### Corporate Profile

Shares on issue: 200,817,300  
Cash: \$5.5m (30 June 2021)  
Debt: Nil

#### KEY PROJECTS

**LITHIUM** Pioneer Dome  
**GOLD** Golden Ridge  
**GOLD** Juglah Dome

#### Joint Ventures (ESS %)

1 x lithium project (51%)  
2 x nickel projects (20-25%)\*  
4 x gold projects (25-30%)\*  
\* Free carried to a decision to mine

#### Corporate Directory

**Non-Executive Chairman**  
Craig McGown

**Non-Executive Directors**  
Paul Payne  
Warren Hallam

**Managing Director**  
Timothy Spencer

**CFO & Company Secretary**  
Carl Travaglini

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