

## **MEO Australia Limited**

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Dear Dean

## **MEO Australia Limited Announcement**

## Request for trading halt

MEO Australia Limited (ASX: MEO) requests a trading halt of its shares for up to 2 days effective immediately pending the results of production testing the Baong sands in the Gurame SE-1XST well in the Seruway Production Sharing Contract, offshore North Sumatra.

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

- (a) the trading halt is necessary as otherwise trading in MEO shares may take place in an uninformed market;
- (b) MEO requests that the trading halt remain in place until it is in a position to make an announcement to the market regarding production test results. MEO anticipates that an announcement will be made prior to the commencement of normal trading on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2012 and the trading halt will cease at that time; and
- (c) MEO is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely

Colin Naylor Company Secretary