



MARKET RELEASE

8 December 2010

Aura Energy Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Aura Energy 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 Friday, 10 December 2010 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: AEE

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REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

Aura Energy Limited (ASX: AEE) requests a trading halt to be placed on the Company's securities pending the release of an announcement by the Company in relation to a capital raising.

The Company requests the securities remain in trading halt until the earlier of the announcement to the market or the commencement of trade on Friday 10 December 2010.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "J. Stephenson", written over a circular stamp or seal.

Jay Stephenson
COMPANY SECRETARY