



MARKET RELEASE

7 December 2011

Aura Energy Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Aura Energy Limited (the "Company") will be placed in Trading Halt Session State 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 Session State until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Friday, 9 December 2011 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, effective immediately, and provides the following information:

- The Company makes the request pending the release of announcement in relation to a capital raising;
- The trading halt is to last until the earlier of the Company releasing an announcement or the commencement of trade on Friday, 9 December 2011; and
- The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Jay Stephenson", written over a circular scribble.

Jay Stephenson
COMPANY SECRETARY