



# MARKET RELEASE

18 September 2014

**Otto Energy Limited**

**TRADING HALT**

The securities of Otto 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 Monday, 22 September 2014 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: OEL

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18 September 2014

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### REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

I confirm that Otto Energy Limited (ASX code: OEL) wishes to request a trading halt in its securities from the commencement of trading with immediate effect and provides the following information in accordance with Listing Rule 17.1.

- The reason for the trading halt is to allow the Company to prepare an announcement for release to the ASX concerning a major transaction
- The trading halt is to last until the earlier of the Company releasing the announcement, or the commencement of trade on 22 September 2014
- We expect that the trading halt will be ended by the Company making an announcement of the kind referred to above
- The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted

Please call me if you have any queries in relation to the above.

Yours faithfully

**Matthew Allen**  
 Chief Executive Officer

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### OTTO AT A GLANCE

- ASX-listed oil and gas company with a strategy to grow its oil and gas business across exploration, development and production
- Focused on South East Asia and East Africa
- Operator of the producing Galoc oil field in the Philippines, which provides cashflow

### COMPANY OFFICERS

Rick Crabb	Chairman
Ian Macliver	Director
Rufino Bomasang	Director
John Jetter	Director
Ian Boserio	Director
Matthew Allen	CEO
Craig Hasson	CFO
Scott Blenkinsop	Company Secretary