

**ASX**

AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE

# MARKET RELEASE

23 November 2010

**Athena Resources Limited****TRADING HALT**

The securities of Athena Resources 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 Thursday, 25 November 2010 or when the announcement is released to the market.

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### TRADING HALT

The Directors of Athena Resources Limited (ASX Code: AHN) hereby request a trading halt of the Company's securities.

The trading halt is requested until an announcement is made to the market with respect to a proposed capital raising.

This announcement is expected to be made before the commencement of trading on Thursday, 25 November 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 read "E W Edwards", is written over a thin horizontal line.

E W Edwards  
Managing Director