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ARISTOCRAT LEISURE LIMITED

TRADING HALT

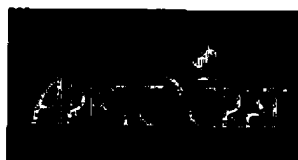
The securities of Aristocrat Leisure Limited (the "Company") will be placed in pre-open at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in pre-open until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Thursday, 10 June 2004 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: ALL

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michelle Shek'.

Michelle Shek
Companies Adviser

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CORPORATE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

TO: Ms Michelle Shek**COMPANY: Australian Stock Exchange****FAX NO. 9241 7620****CC:****FROM: FWE BUSH, Company Secretary****REF:****DATE: 7 June 2004****PAGE:**

SUBJECT: Trading Halt**Dear Michelle,**

We request a trading halt on our shares from 10.00 a.m. tomorrow, pursuant to Listing Rule 17.1 in order to prevent the possibility of an uninformed market. The company has been advised that Justice Einstein will be handing down his decision in the case brought against the Company by the former CEO, Mr Des Randall at that time. The halt is requested from that time until the Company is able to release an announcement about the impact (if any) on the Company. We expect to make the announcement within an hour or so of the judgement being handed down. We are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely**FWE BUSH****Company Secretary**

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