

**ASX**

AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE

MARKET RELEASE

9 November 2009

African Energy Resources Limited**TRADING HALT**

The securities of African Energy 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 Wednesday, 11 November 2009 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: AFR

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ASX Limited
Attention: Kerrie Papamihall
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via Facsimile: 9221 2020

Dear Kerrie,

Request for Trading Halt – African Energy Resources Limited

The Company (ASX:AFR) requests a halt in the trading of its securities commencing pre-open Monday 9 November pending an announcement of drilling results at its Sese project in Botswana.

An announcement to the market will be made in due course. The Company is unaware of any reason why the halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely,

Daniel Davis
Company Secretary