

Market Announcement

17 April 2026

Australian Silica Quartz Group Ltd (ASX: ASQ) – Trading Halt

Trading in the securities of Australian Silica Quartz Group Ltd ('ASQ') will be halted at the request of ASQ, pending the release of an announcement by ASQ.

Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in trading halt until the earlier of:

- the commencement of normal trading on Tuesday, 21 April 2026; or
- the release of the announcement to the market.

ASQ's request for a trading halt is attached below for the information of the market.

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Dear Dianne

Request for Trading Halt

Pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 17.1, the Directors of Australia Silica Quartz Group Limited (ASX: ASQ) ("Company") request an immediate trading halt in the securities of the Company pending the release of the results of a substantial acquisition and an equity raising.

The Company requests that the trading halt remain in place until the earlier of an announcement by the Company regarding the abovementioned substantial acquisition and capital raising and will be in place no later than open of trading on Tuesday 21st April 2026.

The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted, nor any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt.

Yours faithfully

Sam Middlemas
Chief Executive Officer and Company Secretary