



MARKET RELEASE

29 October 2007

NIPLATS AUSTRALIA LIMITED

TRADING HALT

The securities of NIPLATS AUSTRALIA 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, 31 October 2007 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: NIP

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Vickrem Naicker'.

Vickrem Naicker
Senior Adviser