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AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE

# MARKET RELEASE

4 March 2010

**PETRATHERM LIMITED****TRADING HALT**

The securities of Petratherm 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 Monday, 8 March 2010 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: PTR

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Mr Dion Silvy  
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Dear Dion

### **REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT – PETRATHERM LTD**

Petratherm Limited formally requests a trading halt on the entity's securities and in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 17.1 the following information is provided.

The Company intends to make an announcement pending capital raising initiatives through a share placement.

The Company further requests that the trading halt be granted for the maximum allowable period permissible under the ASX's market rules.

The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Donald Stephens'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with some loops and flourishes.

**DONALD STEPHENS  
COMPANY SECRETARY**