



MARKET RELEASE

16 February 2011

Indochine Mining Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Indochine Mining 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 Friday, 18 February 2011 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: IDC

Joel Farina
Senior Adviser, Listings (Sydney)



INDOCHINE MINING LIMITED

ACN 141 677 385

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Mr J Farina
Senior Adviser
Issuers Department
Australian Securities Exchange Limited

Dear Joel

Request for Trading Halt

I refer to our telephone conversation and hereby apply for a trading halt on the Company's traded securities under Listing Rule 17.1 for a period of up to two days pending a possible announcement to the market concerning a material transaction. The Company expects to make an announcement concerning the material transaction before trading commences on Friday, 18 February 2011 to end the trading halt. The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely
Indochine Mining Limited

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gavan Farley", is written over a horizontal line.

Gavan Farley
Director and Company Secretary