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Talisman Mining Limited**TRADING HALT**

The securities of Talisman 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, 29 August 2008 or when the announcement is released to the market.

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Dear Sir/ Madam,

TRADING HALT

The Company requests an immediate halt in the trading of its securities pending an announcement to the market regarding a maiden JORC compliant resource for the Company's NMM prospect at Wonmunna.

A Trading Halt is requested until the earlier of:

- commencement of normal trading on the second day following the date of this request; or
- the release by the Company of an announcement

The Company is unaware of any reason why the Trading Halt should not be granted.

Yours faithfully
Talisman Mining Limited

Steve Elliott
Managing Director