

MARKET RELEASE

23 February 2018

AVZ MINERALS LIMITED

TRADING HALT

The securities of AVZ Minerals Limited (the "Company") will be placed in Trading Halt Session State at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in Trading Halt Session State until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Tuesday 27 February 2018 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: AVZ

Hayley Pratt

ADVISER, LISTINGS COMPLIANCE (PERTH)



AVZ Minerals Limited

23 February 2018

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CC: Ben.Secrett@asx.com.au

Dear Mr Secrett,

REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 17.1, the Directors of AVZ Minerals Ltd (ASX: **AVZ**) ("the Company") hereby request a trading halt of the Company's securities, effective immediately.

The trading halt is requested until the earlier of commencement of normal trading on Tuesday 27 February 2018 or the release of an ASX announcement regarding a capital raising.

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

Yours faithfully

Mathew O'Hara Company Secretary

AVZ Minerals Limited