



# MARKET RELEASE

29 October 2009

**Programmed Maintenance Services Limited**

**TRADING HALT**

The securities of Programmed Maintenance Services 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, 2 November 2009 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: PRG

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Dear Ms Kagan,

#### **PRG - REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT**

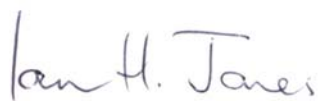
Programmed Maintenance Services Limited ("**PRG**") requests a trading halt for a total of two trading days in respect of its ordinary shares (code: PRG) pursuant to Listing Rule 17.1 from the commencement of trading on Thursday, 29 October 2009.

For the purposes of Listing Rule 17.1, PRG provides the following information.

- (a) a trading halt is necessary as PRG expects shortly to make an announcement to the ASX;
- (b) PRG requests that the trading halt continue until open of trading on Monday, 2 November 2009, unless PRG requests that the trading halt be lifted before that time; and
- (d) PRG is not aware of any reasons why the trading halt should not be granted, or of any other information available at this stage that is relevant to the trading halt.

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,  
**PROGRAMMED MAINTENANCE SERVICES LIMITED**



Ian H. Jones  
Company Secretary

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