



# MARKET RELEASE

15 November 2010

**AXA Asia Pacific Holdings Limited**

**TRADING HALT**

The securities of AXA Asia Pacific Holdings 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 Wednesday, 17 November 2010 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code:           AXA

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**AXA Asia Pacific Holdings Limited – (ASX Code: AXA)  
Request for Trading Halt**

AXA Asia Pacific Holdings Limited (**AXA**) requests that the Australian Securities Exchange (**ASX**) grant an immediate trading halt with respect to its ordinary shares.

In accordance with Listing Rule 17.1, AXA advises that:

- AXA requests the trading halt pending an announcement to the market regarding the status of negotiations with AMP Limited and AXA SA in relation to a proposal to acquire the businesses of AXA;
- Accordingly, AXA requests that the trading halt last until commencement of trading on Wednesday, 17 November 2010, or such earlier time agreed by ASX; and
- AXA is not aware of any reason the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'K. Keenan'.

**Kevin Keenan**  
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