



# MARKET RELEASE

24 June 2005

**Black Range Minerals Limited**

## TRADING HALT

The securities of Black Range Minerals 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 Tuesday, 28 June 2005 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: BLR

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B O'Hara', is positioned above the printed name.

Brendan O'Hara  
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Attention: Brendan O'Hara, Manager Companies

Dear Sir

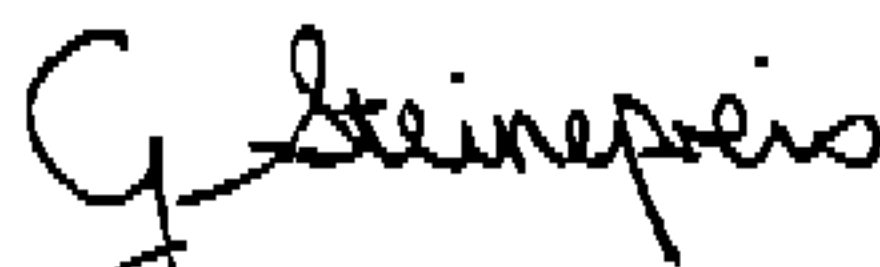
**TRADING HALT REQUEST**

The Directors of Black Range Minerals Limited (ASX Code: BLR) hereby request a trading halt of the Company's securities.

The trading halt is requested until an announcement is made to the market which is expected to be made before the opening of trading on Tuesday, 28 June 2005.

The Company is not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours faithfully



Gary Steinepreis  
Director