



# MARKET RELEASE

22 September 2005

## LACH DRUMMOND RESOURCES LIMITED

### REINSTATEMENT TO OFFICIAL QUOTATION

The securities of Lach Drummond Resources Limited (the "Company") will be reinstated to official quotation from the commencement of trading on Friday, 23 September 2005, at the request of the Company, following the release of the Company's announcement today regarding a proposed merger with Alto Energy Limited.

In accordance with ASX's requirements for compliance with Chapter 11 of the Listing Rules, it is expected that the Company's securities will be suspended from quotation at the close of trading on the business day preceding the shareholders' meeting to approve the proposal to change the Company's activities. If shareholders approve the proposal, the Company's securities will remain suspended until the Company has complied with Chapters 1 and 2 of the Listing Rules.

Security Code: LDR

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brendan O'Hara'.

Brendan O'Hara  
**MANAGER, ISSUERS**

# Lach Drummond Resources Limited

21 September 2005

Australian Stock Exchange Limited  
Exchange Plaza  
2 The Esplanade  
PERTH WA 6000

Attention: Tony Walsh/Marian Tang

Dear Tony and Marian,

## **Lach Drummond Resources Limited – Reinstatement to Official Quotation**

The board of directors of Lach Drummond Resources Limited (LDR) formally request that Australian Stock Exchange Limited (ASX) reinstate LDR's securities to official quotation following the release of the merger announcement today between Lach Drummond Resources Limited and Aito Energy Limited.

The Company confirms that it is in compliance with ASX Listing Rules, in particular listing rule 3.1.

Yours faithfully



Adam Sierakowski  
Director  
Lach Drummond Resources Limited

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