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AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE

# MARKET RELEASE

23 August 2010

ORMIL ENERGY LIMITED

TRADING HALT

The securities of Ormil Energy 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, 25 August 2010 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code:           OMX

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Ms Suzanna Dabski  
Australian Stock Exchange  
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Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Suzanna

Re Trading Halt

We request a trading halt from the opening of the market this morning in accordance with listing Rule 17.

We have executed a Farmin and Purchase Agreement with Apex Energy N.L. which is material to the company's ongoing activities.

We request a trading halt in order to prepare a complete announcement to the market.

We expect to be able to make a full announcement to the market later today or tomorrow morning giving complete details of the Agreement.

We are not aware of any reasons why the trading halt should not be granted.

Yours sincerely,  
Ormil Energy Limited

M T Ohlsson

Company Secretary

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