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MARKET RELEASE

21 May 2012

Copper Strike Limited

TRADING HALT

The securities of Copper Strike Limited (the "Company") will be placed in Trading Halt Session State at the request of the Company, pending the release of an announcement by the Company. Unless ASX decides otherwise, the securities will remain in Trading Halt Session State until the earlier of the commencement of normal trading on Wednesday, 23 May 2012 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: CSE

James Gerraty
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REQUEST FOR TRADING HALT

In accordance with Listing Rule 17.1 the company requests an immediate trading halt on its securities (CSE) pending the release of an announcement by Syrah Resources Limited (SYR) to the market in relation to interim drilling results on its 100%-owned Balama Graphite project. Copper Strike owns 11 million SYR shares and is heavily leveraged to SYR price movement.

The trading halt is requested until the earlier of the release of the announcement or prior to commencement of trading on Wednesday 23 May 2012.

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

Yours faithfully
COPPER STRIKE LIMITED

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Melanie Leydin".

MELANIE LEYDIN
Company Secretary

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