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## ASX/Media Release

## TRADING HALT

SYDNEY, 8 October 2015 – Macquarie Group Chief Financial Officer, Mr Patrick Upfold said today the Group has requested a trading halt pending an announcement relating to a proposed transaction and an update to short term outlook. The trading halt will apply to Macquarie Group Ordinary Shares (ASX: MQG; ADR: MQBKY), Macquarie Group Capital Notes (ASX: MQGPA), Macquarie Bank Capital Notes (ASX: MBLPA) and Macquarie Income Securities (ASX: MBLHB). The trading halt will remain in place until such time as Macquarie Group is in a position to make, and makes, an announcement to the market regarding this matter. Macquarie Group anticipates that an announcement will be made no later than prior to the commencement of normal trading on 12 October 2015.

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