

**ASX**

AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE


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13 February 2008

CODAN LIMITED**TRADING HALT**

The securities of CODAN 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 Friday, 15 February 2008 or when the announcement is released to the market.

Security Code: CDA



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Dear Justin

Request for Trading Halt

Codan Limited (ASX code: CDA) requests a trading halt to its shares, pending an announcement by the Company regarding a possible business acquisition.

The Company expects that the trading halt will operate until an announcement is made or the commencement of trading on 15th February 2008, whichever occurs first.

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

The Company previously advised the investor community and Codan shareholders that it expected to announce yesterday its results for the half year to 31 December 2007. The Company now advises that this results announcement has been delayed and will coincide with the announcement of the abovementioned possible business acquisition.

Yours faithfully
CODAN LIMITED

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rick Moody', written over a horizontal line.

Rick Moody
Company Secretary

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