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SUSPENSION OF TRADING

At the request of Essex Bio-Technology Limited ("Company"), trading in its shares has been suspended with effect from 9:30 a.m. on 2 July 2009 pending the release of an announcement in respect of a major transaction of the Company.

By Order of the Board
Essex Bio-Technology Limited
Zhong Sheng
Executive Director

Hong Kong, 30 June 2009

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Company consists of Mr. NGIAM Mia Je Patrick, Mr. FANG Haizhou, Mr. ZHONG Sheng as executive directors, Mr. FUNG Chi Ying, Mr. MAUFFREY Benoit Jean Marie and Ms. YEOW Mee Mooi as independent non-executive directors.

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