



**COMMENCEMENT OF OFFICIAL QUOTATION
ETTALONG BEACH FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED**

Ettalong Beach Financial Services Limited (the "Company") has been admitted to the official list of Bendigo Stock Exchange with quotation of the Company's ordinary shares commencing from 17th March 2005.

Quoted securities:	732,711 FULLY PAID ORDINARY SHARES
BSX Code:	EBF
Registered Office:	39 Stewart Street Killcare Heights NSW 2257
Company Secretary:	Mr B G Wright
Share Registry:	c/- Bendigo Bank Share Registry P O Box 480 Bendigo Vic 3552
Balance Date:	30 June
Restricted Securities:	nil
Activities:	Under a franchise agreement with Bendigo Bank, the Company is establishing and will manage the Ettalong Beach Community Bank branch of Bendigo Bank.
Classification:	Sector: Financials, Industry Group: Banks, Industry: Commercial Banks, Sub Industry Regional Bank

Ian Craig
Markets Manager
16 March 2005.