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Dear Scott,

23 October 2003

Cosmedics Australia Limited  
Trading Codes: CMA and CMAO  
Request for Suspension of Trading

On behalf of our above named client, we hereby request a Suspension of Trading in our client's listed securities, (under Section 2.19 of Section 1 of the NSX Listing Rules) pending a further announcement in the next few days.

We, and our client, are not aware of any reason why the Suspension of Trading should not be granted.

Yours sincerely,

Emyr Jones  
Executive Director  
VentureAxess Pty Ltd

Nominated Adviser to Cosmedics Australia Limited.