



**THE STRAITS TRADING COMPANY LIMITED**

**Date of Release of Financial Statements for the Third Quarter and Nine Months Ended 30 September 2004**

The Straits Trading Company Limited ('Company') wishes to inform that the Company will be releasing the unaudited financial statements of the Company and of the Group for the third quarter and nine months ended 30 September 2004 ('Statements'), on 12 November 2004. The Statements will be posted on MASNET, as well as on the Company's website at <http://www.stc.com.sg> after 5.05 p.m. on 12 November 2004.

Emily Teo (Ms)

Secretary

The Straits Trading Company Limited, Registration No. 188700008D

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