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RE: Leighton Contractors awarded \$290 million of new mining and construction work

Please find attached copies of media releases to be issued today by Leighton Contractors Pty Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Leighton Holdings Limited.

Yours faithfully,

A. J. MOIR
Company Secretary

Media release

15 May 2009

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SGA selected as preferred proponent to construct Mandurah Entrance Road

Southern Gateway Alliance, comprising Leighton Contractors, WA Limestone and GHD has been selected by Main Roads as the preferred proponent to build the new Mandurah Entrance Road.

The project is being jointly funded by the Federal and Western Australian Governments with a total budget of \$130 million.

Mr Ray Sputore, General Manager, Western Region Construction for Leighton Contractors, said design and construction of the project was expected to commence in mid 2009 creating up to 200 new jobs.

"The seven kilometre Mandurah Entrance Road is a key piece of infrastructure and we welcome the Federal Government's decision to bring forward funding for the project. It will link the State's largest ever road project, the Kwinana Freeway extension - Forrest Highway, to a major regional centre," he said.

Mr Sputore said the selection of Southern Gateway Alliance highlighted the ability of the team to deliver large scale infrastructure projects in the region on budget and ahead of schedule.

"We are pleased to be working with Main Roads and our Alliance partners to deliver this vital piece of road infrastructure," Mr Sputore said.

The Mandurah Entrance Road is expected to open for traffic by mid 2010.

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About Leighton Contractors

Leighton Contractors is one of Australia's leading construction, mining, infrastructure, industrial engineering, facilities management, services and telecommunications groups with over \$8.3 billion work in hand, employing more than 9,000 people across Australia and New Zealand.

Media release

15 May 2008



Leighton Contractors awarded \$160 million Moorvale coal contract

Leighton Contractors' Resources Division has been awarded a four-year contract extension worth \$160 million by Macarthur Coal (C & M Management) Pty Ltd.

Under the contract, Leighton Mining will initially undertake the majority of the surface mining operations at the Moorvale project, which is situated in the Bowen Basin in Central Queensland.

Steven Keyser, General Manager of Leighton Mining said today the contract extension was testament to the successful and collaborative partnership between Leighton Mining and Macarthur Coal.

"The award of this contract recognises our ability to work closely alongside respected clients to add value to their operations," he said.

"The contract extension was a reflection of the hard work, focus and commitment to team work demonstrated by Leighton Mining staff at Moorvale."

The Moorvale Project has an estimated 40 million tonnes of recoverable low volatile pulverised coal injection (PCI) coal and thermal coal and at current rates of production it is expected mining will continue until 2016.

As part of the new arrangement, Leighton Mining will also commission, manage and operate Macarthur Coal's new mining fleet at Moorvale.

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