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RE: Leighton awarded new mining and telecommunications work

Please find attached copies of media releases to be issued today by Visionstream Pty Ltd and Leighton Contractors Pty Limited, wholly owned subsidiaries of Leighton Holdings Limited.

Yours faithfully,

A. J. MOIR
Company Secretary



MEDIA RELEASE

30 June 2009

Visionstream awarded New Zealand Telecommunications Field Services Contract

Specialist Communication Infrastructure Services company, Visionstream has been awarded a ten-year services and maintenance contract by New Zealand telecommunication company Chorus.

The contract, valued in excess of NZD \$1 billion over the ten year period, will see Visionstream construct and maintain both new and existing copper and optic fibre access Networks in New Zealand. In addition, Visionstream will also provide onsite connection for Chorus customers including standard telephone, broadband and cable services.

Ric Oldham, General Manager, Visionstream said the company was committed to developing a presence in New Zealand and establishing itself as a key provider of telecommunications infrastructure services in the region.

"We're confident that this contract will lay the foundation for a successful and long standing relationship with Chorus in New Zealand," Mr Oldham said.

"Visionstream has a proven track record of successful service delivery in Australia, and we want to continue to add value to our clients' operations as we grow in New Zealand," he said.

"Over the coming months we will be working closely with the existing workforce to ensure a smooth transition of the works to Visionstream, in line with our company values and behaviours.

"This is an exciting time for the New Zealand Telecommunications industry and we're looking forward to working closely with Chorus to provide customer service excellence and help them deliver what will be one of the largest network upgrades ever undertaken in New Zealand," he said.

Visionstream, a wholly owned subsidiary of Leighton Contractors, is a specialist Communication Infrastructure Services company that provides Design, Construction Commissioning and ongoing Network Maintenance Services to the Telecommunications Industry.

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About Leighton Contractors

Leighton Contractors has a well established, growing and committed business within New Zealand where it employs over 450 people to deliver a number of large infrastructure and mining projects.

Leighton Contractors is one of Australia's leading contracting and project development groups with over \$8.3 billion work in hand, employing more than 9,000 people across Australia and New Zealand.

The company services clients across a range of industries and sectors including resources, construction, telecommunications, energy, infrastructure and facility management.

Media release

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Leighton Contractors awarded \$350 million Duralie coal contract extension

Leighton Contractors' Resources Division has been awarded a seven-year contract extension worth \$350 million by Gloucester Coal.

Under the contract, Leighton Mining will undertake mine planning, surface mining operations, maintenance and site rehabilitation work at the Duralie project, which is situated in the Gloucester Basin, north of Newcastle, New South Wales.

Steven Keyser, General Manager of Leighton Mining said the hard work by the team at Duralie and the long-term relationship with Gloucester Coal had delivered great results and were key factors in securing the contract extension.

"The award of this contract demonstrates our ability to work closely and collaboratively with our clients over the long-term and we look forward to building on this relationship into the future," he said.

"Duralie is a unique and challenging site and the extension of this contract demonstrates the faith that our client has in this great team."

The contract extension also means expansion for Leighton Mining with additional employment opportunities for local personnel.

The Duralie Project is an open-cut coal operation which produces approximately 1.8 million tonnes of coking and thermal coal per year and at the current rates of production it is expected mining will continue until 2020.

This announcement, along with the recent Moorvale contract extension has seen Leighton Mining awarded over \$500 million of new contract work in the last month.

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