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RE: Leighton Contractors to end work at Bowen Basin coal mine

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

Yours faithfully LEIGHTON HOLDINGS LIMITED

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Media release

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Leighton Contractors to end work at Bowen Basin coal mine

Leighton Contractors will cease mining operations at the BHP Billiton Mitsubishi Alliance (BMA) Peak Downs coal mine in Queensland on 3 July 2013.

Leighton Contractors estimates the maximum impact is a reduction of work in hand at Peak Downs over the two years to 2015 of approximately \$260 million. Under the terms of the contract, Leighton Contractors will be entitled to compensation for early termination.

Leighton Contractors continues to see solid long term growth in demand for both thermal and coking coal, driven mainly by India and China. Their energy needs should support demand for our contract mining market services for the foreseeable future.

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About Leighton Contractors

Leighton Contractors, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Leighton Holdings Limited, is one of Australia's leading contracting and project development groups, with over \$12 billion work in hand and employing more than 13,000 people across Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and Africa. The company delivers projects for clients across the infrastructure, mining, telecommunications, civil construction, industrial, energy, health and services sectors.