



# ASX Release

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## NEXTDC Sydney data centre official launch on Monday 30 September

NEXTDC Limited (ASX: NXT) (“the Company” or “NEXTDC”) is pleased to announce that its newest data centre in Sydney (“S1”) will be officially launched on Monday 30 September by the Hon. Malcolm Turnbull MP, Minister for Communications.

The exclusive event will mark an important milestone in NEXTDC’s national expansion, and also a major contribution to New South Wales’ economy.

With S1 expected to set a new standard for data centres in Australia, invited guests will have the opportunity to experience next generation data centre design by touring the Uptime Institute (UTI) certified Tier III world-class facility.

The Sydney facility is NEXTDC’s newest purpose built enterprise-class data centre and provides a significant private investment in NSW’s key economic infrastructure. The five storey colocation data centre in Macquarie Park will provide 11.5 megawatts across 5,600m<sup>2</sup> of technical space to government and enterprise customers and when fully fitted out over time represents approximately \$150 million infrastructure investment. The facility has also recently received UTI Tier III certification and already signed up a number of local and international customers, including some of the largest companies in the world, to run their cloud platforms from S1.

NEXTDC CEO, Craig Scroggie said, “We are committed to enabling the cloud computing revolution in Australia and the S1 facility is immediately attractive to organisations that deliver or consume cloud computing services.

“The landmark opening of S1 demonstrates NEXTDC’s commitment to innovation, harnessing its unique abilities to improve the world’s leading organisations’ operations and to developing the ICT industry in NSW and across the country. We are delighted to welcome the Hon. Malcolm Turnbull, MP to officially open our newest data centre.”

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## About NEXTDC

NEXTDC is an ASX 300 company and is the only independent data centre operator with strategic footprint in all major growth markets in Australia.

NEXTDC offers a range of highly flexible, scalable, resilient and secure colocation services to corporate, government and IT services companies.

NEXTDC's purpose-built facilities have been designed to address the market's growing appetite for energy-efficient, independent data centres in which organisations can host their critical IT infrastructure, and also to address the emergence and growth of cloud (internet-based) computing.

As a cloud enabler, NEXTDC's enterprise-class data centre facilities address the challenges of security, connectivity and neutrality that have hindered the wider acceptance of cloud computing.

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