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Project awards

Southern Cross Electrical Engineering Limited (“SCEE Group”) is pleased to announce that its subsidiaries have been awarded a range of projects in the data centre, commercial, manufacturing, resources and water sectors, totalling circa \$125m, as follows:

- Heyday has received from Multiplex Constructions Pty Ltd a new contract award for Separable Portion 18 – Stage 2 Phase 3 at the NEXTDC SYD03 Artarmon NSW Data Centre. The scope of Separable Portion 18 is an electrical design and construct works package, which includes the fit-out of the High Voltage Level 1 HVSB-D & E String Supplies and the Power System Modules for Level 5 DA-DD, Level 6 DE-DH, Level 7 EA-ED and Level 8 EE-EH, together with associated 33kV cabling reticulation, installation of client-supplied transformers, High Voltage and Low Voltage switchboards, generators, and Rotary UPS units. The new Power System Modules extend services to Hyperscale Data Halls 1B – 8B, covering data rack, general lighting, electrical and structured cabling infrastructure, submain supplies, and an over-the-rack busway system, facilitating the supply of end-client equipment and mechanical fan wall systems. This contract award is Heyday’s sixth substantial project at the NEXTDC SYD03 Artarmon NSW Data Centre. Works on the project are due to commence in February 2025 with completion by December 2026.
- MDE Group (“MDE”), our recently acquired subsidiary in Sydney, has been awarded by FDC Construction (NSW) Pty Ltd (“FDC”) the contract for the comprehensive electrical and communication services at The Cutaway, Barangaroo. This project, in collaboration with FDC and on behalf of Infrastructure NSW, will deliver for Sydney a new venue for cultural events and exhibitions. MDE will be responsible for installing a range of critical infrastructure elements across the 10,000 sqm site. This includes new consumer mains, a 3000 Amp main switchboard and distribution boards throughout the facility. In addition to the above, the project involves the installation of specialist feature lighting within the event space to accommodate a variety of events. MDE will also ensure the existing security infrastructure of the Barangaroo precinct remains operational while new communications rooms are demolished and rebuilt to suit the venue. Works have commenced and are expected to be completed in 2025.



- Trivantage Manufacturing has been awarded a contract from Spark NEL DC JV, an unincorporated joint venture between CPB Contractors Pty Ltd, Webuild S.p.A, GS Engineering & Constructions Australia Pty Ltd, and China Construction Oceania Pty Ltd, to supply the low voltage equipment for the North East Link highway scheme that is being constructed in Melbourne’s north-eastern suburbs. The package includes combinations of main switchboards, distribution boards, pump control panels, and Uninterruptible Power Supply (“UPS”) systems. The switchboards will be manufactured locally in Trivantage Manufacturing’s Victoria facility located just five kilometres from the project, and be supplied throughout FY25 and FY26.
- Trivantage Manufacturing has also been awarded a contract from ACCIONA Construction Australia Pty Ltd, to supply the low voltage switchboards and transformers for Sydney’s Western Harbour Tunnel Package 2. The package includes combinations of main switchboards, motor control centres, transformers, power factor correction units and distribution boards. The switchboards will be manufactured in their Sydney and Brisbane facilities, and they will be supplied starting from the second half of FY25 and throughout FY26.
- SCEE Electrical has been awarded by TEC Desert Pty Ltd and TEC Desert No.2 Pty Ltd, together trading in general partnership as Southern Cross Energy Partnership, and who are subsidiaries of TransAlta Corporation (“TransAlta”), a Mt. Keith West Network Upgrade Project in the Goldfields in Western Australia with a date for completion in August 2025. The works comprise upgrades to the Mt. Keith 132kV network via extension of existing Gas Insulated Switchgear (GIS), new 132kV transformers and new 11kV switchrooms which will replace legacy 11kV switchgear located at TransAlta’s diesel power station.
- SCEE Electrical has been awarded by the Alkimos Seawater Joint Venture, an unincorporated joint venture between Acciona Construction Australia Pty Ltd, Acciona Agua Australia Pty Ltd, and Jacobs Group (Australia) Pty Ltd, a 132/11kV Substation and Construction Power Infrastructure Project, in Perth in Western Australia with a date for completion in April 2025. The scope of works will include, but is not limited to, the installation of 132kV Gas Insulated Switchgear (GIS), 132kV transformers and 11kV switchgear together with associated equipment, cabling systems, cable containment systems, equipment support systems, earthing systems, and the termination and testing of all power, instrumentation, control and communications systems.

Comment

Commenting on the above, SCEE Group Managing Director Graeme Dunn said “This announcement, with works on a new desalination plant in WA, and major transport projects in Victoria and NSW, clearly demonstrates SCEE’s broad exposure to Australian infrastructure expenditure.

I am also pleased we have won further works from NextDC in the very buoyant data centre sector and to be announcing on behalf of our recent MDE acquisition their first significant award under our ownership.”

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