

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

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RESPONSE TO PRESS ARTICLE IN 'THE AUSTRALIAN'

Ramsay Health Care Limited (Ramsay) refers to the press article in today's *The Australian* newspaper regarding a proposed joint venture between Ramsay Sime Darby Health Care (RSD), the partnership between Ramsay and Sime Darby Berhad, and Jinan University No.1 Affiliated Hospital (Guangzhou Overseas Chinese Hospital).

While there has been no agreement reached between the parties at this stage, Ramsay confirms that both parties (RSD and Guangzhou Overseas Chinese Hospital) are discussing the potential establishment of a number of high quality international hospitals in China's Pearl River Delta in collaboration with Chinese state-owned medical institutions.

Ramsay also confirms these discussions are incomplete and that RSD has not entered into any binding agreement in respect of a potential transaction.

Further, there can be no certainty that a transaction will result from these discussions.

Accordingly, investors should not have regard to media speculation or any other uninformed comment of this nature.

Ramsay is mindful of its continuous disclosure obligations and is committed to maintaining its policy of keeping its shareholders and the market fully informed and in compliance with its obligations under the ASX Listing Rules.

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