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## Memorandum

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To	THE AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGE	From	SIMON CURTIS
Attention	THE COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENTS OFFICE	Date	6 NOVEMBER 2003
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Dear Sir / Madam,

Please refer to the attached media release.

Please direct any queries in relation to this announcement to myself in the first instance.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Simon Curtis". The signature is stylized and includes a horizontal line at the end.

Simon Curtis  
Company Secretary

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **Coffey Wins New Alliance Contract for Lawrence Hargrave Drive**

(Sydney Australia - 6 November 2003) Coffey International Limited (ASX:COF) is delighted to announce that its subsidiary, Coffey Geosciences, is part of the alliance team awarded preferred proponent status by the Roads and Traffic Authority of NSW (RTA). The alliance will design and construct solutions to safely repair Lawrence Hargrave Drive, between Coalcliff and Clifton.

The NSW Minister for Roads, Carl Scully, today announced that the consortium of Coffey Geosciences, Barclay Mowlem and Maunsell was the preferred alliance team who will work with the RTA to deliver a solution to this technically and socially challenging problem.

“Coffey Geosciences has extensive experience in major road projects throughout Australia,” commented Coffey International Limited Managing Director Roger Olds, who will be a member of the Alliance Leadership Team.

“This will be a challenging project because of the long history of rock falls and instability in this road, and the impact the road closure is having on local communities. The solution has to ensure the safety of the community for the future.

“Coffey’s experience in geotechnical investigation analysis, design and remediation of landslides will be critical to ensuring cost-effective and safe design, construction and operation.

“This is Coffey’s fourth alliance contract. Increasingly, alliances are becoming recognised as the preferred way to deliver complex projects to achieve excellent results for all parties involved. Everyone works together to develop excellent outcomes,” he continued.

Lawrence Hargrave Drive has a long history of rockfalls, with more than 50 falls reported since 1996. The road was closed in August to protect motorists from risks associated with geological instability.

In August this year, the NSW government announced a plan to alleviate safety concerns and the road will remain closed until safety concerns have been addressed.

#### **About Coffey Geosciences**

Coffey Geosciences is a consulting engineering company that works on Australian and overseas infrastructure projects. It provides geotechnical and environmental engineering solutions for major infrastructure projects including highways, bridges, commercial and residential developments, tunnels, mines and dams.

The company provides clients with specialist engineering of works below the ground. Services include surface and subsurface exploration, in-situ testing, construction testing, foundation and road design, landslide studies, due diligence, environmental management and land redevelopment advice.

Coffey Geosciences is currently involved with other alliance contracts, including The Port of Brisbane Motorway, Wivenhoe Dam remediation and Port of Brisbane Seawall.

For more information, please visit [www.coffeygeosciences.com.au](http://www.coffeygeosciences.com.au)

### **About Coffey International**

Coffey International Limited provides both physical and social infrastructure solutions to business, government and development assistance agencies. The company operates two divisions: the Consulting Business, which comprises Coffey Geosciences, Control Testing Laboratories, Water Studies and Soil & Rock Engineering, and the International Development Business, which comprises SAGRIC International, Coffey MPW and Landmarc.

The company employs around 600 people and is one of Australia's largest service providers to the Asia Pacific Region. It is listed on the Australian Stock Exchange.

During the 2002/03 financial year, Coffey generated \$38 million revenue in Australia, \$38 million in South East Asia, \$21 million in the Pacific and \$13 million in China, Sri Lanka, India and the Middle East.

For more information, please visit [www.coffey.com.au](http://www.coffey.com.au).

### **ENDS**

Roger Olds is available for interview.

Company background and Managing Director profile available.

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