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## Ottoway Engineering secures \$22.8 million new RAH Contract

E&A Limited (EAL) is pleased to announce that its wholly owned subsidiary Ottoway Engineering Pty Ltd (Ottoway) has been awarded a \$22.8 million contract to provide mechanical, structural and piping installation services for the new Royal Adelaide Hospital. Ottoway will be working directly for the Tier One Mechanical Contractor BSA Limited on behalf of design and construction partners Hansen Yuncken and Leighton Contractors Joint Venture (HYLC).

Ottoway will be responsible for the delivery of off-site fabrication and on-site mechanical, structural and piping installation which includes but not limited to the following:

- Prefabrication of chilled, heating and condenser water pipework;
- Fabrication of ring main piping modules;
- Installation of free issue plant;
- Supply and Installation of co-generation and boiler flues;
- Fabrication and installation of chilled, condenser and heating water risers; and
- Installation of fluid coolers, pipe work and platforms.

The Executive Chairman of EAL, Mr Stephen Young, advised that Ottoway was excited to be involved in the largest infrastructure and most advanced hospital project in South Australia's history.

In addition, Ottoway looked forward to developing its working relationship with BSA and HYLC on this project and was committed to delivering the contract works on time, on budget and in accordance with specification.

Off-site fabrication and manufacture associated with the project is planned to commence in April 2013, with on-site installation works scheduled to commence shortly after.

During the offsite fabrication stage Ottoway will engage approximately 25 personnel increasing to 50 once on-site construction commences.

Please refer to the attached media release for further information.

new Royal Adelaide Hospital (new RAH):
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E&A Limited, Executive Chairman Stephen Young said:

"The \$1.85 billion new Royal Adelaide Hospital is the largest and most advanced hospital ever undertaken in Australia, and the single largest infrastructure project in South Australia's history. As a local business, Ottoway is proud to be part of the construction of such a major and iconic project. Ottoway has recently expanded into new premises and the off-site pre-fabrication work will assist Ottoway Engineering to retain a strong skilled pipe fabrication workforce presence in South Australia"

Ottoway Engineering, Chief Executive Officer, Mr Bryan Tidswell said:

"Ottoway is looking forward to developing a strong working relationship with BSA and HYLC Joint Venture. The team is committed to delivering the contract works on time, on budget and in accordance with specification".

Mr Tidswell said off-site fabrication and manufacture works associated with the new RAH project were due to commence this month.

Chris Pratt, HYLC Joint Venture Development Director says:

Ottoway has been a long term partner for this project and an outstanding South Australian contractor. Our Joint Venture is particularly pleased of Ottoway's involvement as it demonstrates the strength of our local business relationships and the significant expertise that lies with the South Australian Marketplace"

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