## **ASX Announcement**



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SeaLink Travel Group (ASX: SLK) (The Company) is pleased to announce the completion late Friday of the acquisition of the Captain Cook Cruises, Western Australia business.

Managing Director, Jeff Ellison said "This acquisition complements SeaLink's tourism and transport businesses across Australia. Captain Cook Cruises Western Australia is well positioned to take advantage of the international tourism growth and adds further geographic diversification to SeaLink Travel Group."

Captain Cook Cruises Western Australia operates seven cruise, charter and sightseeing vessels in Perth offering tourism-focused river cruises along with two vessels providing commuter services managed on behalf of Transperth. The Captain Cook Cruises brand is acquired as part of the purchase, which complements Captain Cook Cruises on Sydney Harbour operated by the Company.

As well as its expanded fleet, which moves to 72 vessels, SeaLink now employs over 1,100 staff around Australia and carries approximately 7 million passengers per year.

The acquisition was funded through existing debt facilities.

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