



## ASX RELEASE

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### HMC WELCOMES SYD1 HCF CERTIFICATION

HMC Capital Limited (**ASX: HMC**) welcomes the announcement by the Department of Home Affairs to grant HCF “Certified Strategic” data centre status for SYD1, an important milestone in unlocking the value in that asset.

The combination of HCF certification, DGT’s ability to incrementally deliver capacity over the next 3 years to the Sydney market and the strong AI-driven growth in demand for data centre capacity, continue to strengthen HMC’s conviction in the DGT investment story.

HMC continues to be and intends to remain a committed and significant securityholder in DGT and sees substantial leasing and earnings upside over the next 2-3 years.

This announcement is authorised for release by the Board.

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