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## **AusGroup secures A\$21 million contract for new iron ore export facility in Western Australia**

- Contract to fabricate a twin cell car dumper and iron ore wagon indexer for unloading of iron ore trains
- Has established a track record for building complex car dumpers for the iron ore majors

**SINGAPORE – 05 June 2008 – AusGroup** Limited (“AGL” or “AusGroup” or “the Group”), an energy and resources specialist announced a new major contract in excess of A\$21 million. This brings the total order book for the Group to over A\$200 million.

The contract is to fabricate a twin cell car dumper and iron ore wagon indexer for unloading of iron ore trains delivering ore to a new iron ore export facility at Port Hedland in the Pilbara region of Western Australia. This is a repeat order from an existing customer.

AusGroup will commence work immediately and expects delivery by June 2009.

“ The growth momentum in Australia’s mining sector continues to be strong. We are experiencing strong demand for our services, particularly in the areas of fabrication for car dumpers where we have established a strong track record for cost-efficient timely delivery. Our twin exposures to the minerals and oil and gas development boom in Australasia will continue to propel our growth forward. ”

Mr John Sheridan, Managing Director of AusGroup Ltd.

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AusGroup Limited is a mainboard-listed energy & resources specialist. It is primarily based in Australia, where it is a dominant player in the supply of total engineering solutions, which includes fabrication, mechanical installations and maintenance. Being involved in the building, maintaining and upgrading of infrastructure, plant and equipment used in the extraction and processing of energy & resources, AusGroup is well positioned to benefit from the increasing capital investments in these industries. Through its acquisition of Cactus Engineering, AusGroup has established a presence in Singapore, which will be used as a platform to more regional growth.

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