

Australian Industry Participation (AIP) Policy



As a major Australian gas project, the Gorgon Project will actively support Australian industry participation as a core business policy, in line with the Australian Industry Participation National Framework and the Gorgon Gas Processing and Infrastructure Project Agreement.

Implementation

To fulfil the objectives of this policy, the Gorgon Project will:

- Comply with the requirements of clause 15 of the *Gorgon Gas Processing and Infrastructure Project Agreement 2003* (Schedule 1 of *Barrow Island Act 2003*).
- Provide full, fair and reasonable opportunity for Australian industry to supply goods and services to the Project.
- Utilise the resources of the Industry Capability Network (ICN) and other sources including ProjectConnect, SupplyBase Vendor Registration System and Pilbara Business Capability Register (ePilbara), as appropriate, to identify those Australian companies able to supply goods or services commensurate with the quality, safety, environmental, reliability and delivery standards and objectives of the Project.
- Provide information and facilitate Project briefings to Australian industry in order for local suppliers to have adequate time to identify potential opportunities and establish their competitive position.
- Identify structural impediments to competitive Australian Industry Participation, such as lack of infrastructure and skills shortages and, with ICN support, make industry and government aware of any such perceived limitations.
- Encourage offshore manufacturing and service companies who have leading edge technology applicable to the Gorgon Project to establish local facilities or manufacturing licences and to aid in technology transfer.
- Assist Australian industry in forming strategic joint ventures or alliances with offshore companies.
- Facilitate contractor and subcontractor alignment with the policy, by including our AIP requirements in all contracts and purchase orders and make it a condition that these are reflected in all subcontracts and contractor placed purchase orders.
- Ensure that Australian design, engineering, manufacturing, construction and project management capabilities are considered when preparing scopes of work to enhance Australian industry opportunities, without impacting on the Gorgon Project's safety, environment, reliability, quality, cost or schedule objectives.
- Establish a supplier diversity program and work with regional organisations, indigenous organisations and ICN to establish links between the Gorgon Project and local business, including a capability register and capacity building activities.
- Establish a measurement system to track and report the extent to which local content is utilised.

This Policy, together with the Gorgon Project Australian Industry Participation Plan, ensures that the Gorgon Project meets its obligations and commitments to the State and Commonwealth Governments with respect to the Barrow Island Act 2003, Gorgon Gas Processing and Infrastructure Project Agreement and Enhanced Project By-Law Scheme.

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