

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **Bravus Mining and Resources commits to major investment to increase mine production in central Queensland**

In a vote of confidence in the future of Queensland's coal industry, Bravus Mining and Resources\* has today announced it will make a substantial capital investment to increase production at its Carmichael mine near Clermont in central Queensland by a third over the next four years to 16 million tonnes per annum.

Bravus Mining and Resources Chief Operating Officer Mick Crowe said the decision to export more coal from Carmichael would create hundreds of new jobs for Queenslanders during construction and ramp up.

"Over the last three years our Carmichael mine has safely and efficiently ramped production up to more than 10 million tonnes per annum, which has boosted the Queensland economy and created thousands of jobs in regional Queensland," Mr Crowe said.

"This new investment will increase Carmichael's output by a third and create more benefits for Queensland.

"Our investment in the infrastructure to support this growth means more contracts for local businesses and suppliers and more high-paying mining industry jobs for people living in places like Clermont, Rockhampton, Mackay, Bowen, Townsville, and Cairns.

"It also means Carmichael will remain strategically positioned to efficiently deliver high-quality Queensland thermal coal to the global seaborne coal market at scale."

Engineering studies and assessments have been completed, and work to deliver increased production will begin with adding more capacity to the Carmichael mine accommodation village.

Global demand for the type of thermal coal mined at Carmichael is increasing as developing nations industrialise and their citizens seek a modern lifestyle with reliable energy for better health, education, and employment, and by the uptake of AI and big data around the world.

Bravus Mining and Resources is part of the Bravus group of diversified Australian businesses delivering integrated energy and infrastructure services.

More than 2,000 Queenslanders currently work in full-time jobs at Bravus' Australian businesses which span thermal coal, solar energy, port operations, and rail network and rail freight operations.

Bravus is part of the global Adani Group, which has invested more than AUD\$7 billion in Queensland since 2010.

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**EDITORS' NOTES:**

\*Adani Mining Pty Ltd t/a Bravus Mining and Resources

Photo files attached with release.

**Photo captions:**

1. Coal mining operations at Bravus Mining and Resources' Carmichael mine near Clermont in central Queensland.

**About the Carmichael mine**

- The Carmichael mine is producing high quality coal for export to nations around the world that want to lift their people out of energy poverty.
- The mine has safely and efficiently ramped up to a consistent rate of production which is more than 10 million tonnes per annum.
- Townsville and Rockhampton remain the primary employment hubs for the Carmichael mine and we continue to recruit workers who can drive to site from Clermont and the Isaac Region.
- More than 1200 people work in permanent roles at Carmichael with more than 750 workers on site at any time while the others are on days off.
- More than A\$2 billion has been paid to regional Queensland contractors and businesses since construction began on the Carmichael project in 2019 and the mine entered operations in 2022.
- Carmichael coal is sold into the international seaborne export market and its ultimate destination depends on market demand.

**About the Adani Group**

- With a global market capitalisation\*\* exceeding all but one of the top 50 ASX-listed companies, Adani is the largest Indian investor in Australia and remains firmly committed to Queensland's economic development, job creation, and long-term prosperity.
- The Carmichael mine plays a strategic role in supporting India's long-term energy security and economic development. As one of the world's fastest-growing economies and with a population of more than 1.4 billion people, India continues to rely on a diversified energy mix to meet ever increasing industrial, commercial, and residential demand.
- The Adani Group, through Adani Green Energy Limited (AGEL), is India's largest renewable energy company and one of the world's leaders in clean energy solutions. AGEL is targeting 45 gigawatts (GW) of renewable capacity by 2030 and is behind the world's largest wind-solar hybrid power plant in Jaisalmer and the Khavda Renewable Energy Park, which is poised to become the world's largest renewable energy installation with a planned capacity of 30 GW.

\*\*According to National Stock Exchange of India Ltd valuations at 8am AEST on Tuesday 19 August 2025.

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