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### United Group and OneSteel - Joint Public Statement

In 2003 and 2004 OneSteel Limited and United Group Limited worked together on the relining of OneSteel's Blast Furnace at Whyalla South Australia. Since 2004, the parties have been in dispute over the cost of the work undertaken. That dispute has now been resolved on a commercial and confidential basis. The proceedings relating to that dispute in the Supreme Court of South Australia are to be discontinued by consent. One Steel and United Group look forward to restoring and enhancing their commercial relationship.

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**United Group (ASX - UGL)** is a diversified services company specialising in maintenance, facilities management, manufacturing, fabrication, engineering, construction and business process outsourcing. It operates in Australia, New Zealand, Asia, North America, and parts of Europe and the Middle East. The group consists of five businesses each with specific complementary services:

**UGL Rail** is Australia's foremost rail and rolling stock company offering services such as; engineering and manufacturing, refurbishment and remanufacture, maintenance services and spare parts

**UGL Resources** is a long term solution provider of multi-discipline services to clients in the resources industry

**UGL Services** is a premier global provider of outsourcing services. Services include corporate real estate, facilities management, project management, finance and accounting, procurement, human resource management and learning

**UGL Transport & Systems** is a multi-service business offering construction, engineering, operational and maintenance services to the communications, road & rail transport and defence industries

**UGL Water & Energy** is a market leader providing industrial maintenance, construction and engineering services to the water and energy sectors using technology partnerships with world-leading organisations.