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Flinders Port Holdings among Australia's best privately-managed companies

22 MARCH 2024: South Australian-based Flinders Port Holdings has been named one of nine leading private Australian companies recognised for its outstanding business performance in Deloitte Australia's 2023 Best Managed Companies awards.

Now in its fourth year – and run in association with Google Cloud and the Commonwealth Bank of Australia – the Best Managed Companies program identifies and celebrates privately-owned and managed companies across Australia that set high standards of business performance, shining a light on the power of private businesses as innovators and major contributors to Australia's economy.

The program's independent judges challenged and evaluated the strengths of the applicants across four key pillars: strategy; culture and commitment; capabilities and innovation; and governance and financials.

Flinders Port Holdings' chief executive Stewart Lammin said: "This is our fourth consecutive year participating in Deloitte's Best Managed Companies awards, and our third win, which is testament to the strong team we have leading our organisation.

"While it has been a challenging period for the ports industry in recent years, our FPH team have worked effectively to ensure we have continued to grow our services and improve our operations, and we appreciate their efforts."

Natalie Faull, Deloitte Private lead partner and Best Managed Companies Asia Pacific leader, said: "Our Best Managed Companies program is about celebrating the passion, dynamism, resilience and focus on sustainable growth that typify Australia's best managed private businesses.

"Just like Flinders Port Holdings, they are purpose-driven, disciplined organisations, industry leaders and significant employers. They are navigating the future with confidence, and setting a very high bar for what success can look like for private businesses in Australia."

About the Deloitte Best Managed Companies program

Best Managed Companies was established in 1993 in Canada and has become one of the most significant business awards of its kind. The program is active in 46 countries in the Americas, Europe and Australasia, and is launching across Africa.

The program recognises privately held companies for their organisational success and achievement and provides a distinct framework for management teams to challenge themselves and benchmark against some of the best private companies in the world.

Companies are evaluated by an independent judging panel comprised of representatives from program sponsors, in addition to special guest judges.

Over an eight-month period, winners receive coaching from leading business advisors, networking opportunities via invitations to exclusive events including premium sponsor events, and key branding and promotional opportunities.



About Flinders Port Holdings

Flinders Port Holdings owns and operates Flinders Adelaide Container Terminal as well as the port of Port Adelaide and the six key regional ports of Port Giles, Port Lincoln, Wallaroo, Port Pirie, Klein Point and Theyenard.

Flinders Port Holdings also provides integrated supply chain solutions through Flinders Logistics and Flinders Warehousing and Distribution. Beyond ports and logistics, it delivers hydrographic survey services through HydroSurvey Australia.

Flinders Port Holdings is ranked as one of South Australia's top 10 companies, with an annual turnover of more than \$200 million. It employs 700 people and indirectly supports 6000 jobs in South Australia.

Through its operations, Flinders Port Holdings facilitates more than \$25 billion dollars in international trade annually and is the key platform for South Australian two-way trade in goods.

Flinders Port Holdings is proud of its role in the economic development of the state and the wellbeing of its port communities.

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