

# **Australian Dairy Nutritionals Group**

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## The Collective contract extended to 6-year agreement

- Sales and production volumes steadily increasing and now above initial expectations.
- Term of the Production Agreement extended by a further 2 years. Sales now expected to be in the range of \$60 to \$70 million for the contracted period (previous estimate \$30 million over 4 years)
- Production of an additional 7 new products for The Collective commenced in March 2019.
- Camperdown to invest in high speed pouch machine to advance production capability.

The Board of Australian Dairy Nutritionals Group (the **Group** or **AHF**) is pleased to provide an update in relation to Camperdown Dairy Company's (**CDC**) major production contract with New Zealand based yoghurt brand, The Collective. As previously announced to the market on the 23 April 2018, CDC entered into a 4-year contract with the Collective. Production commenced of 10 products for The Collective in late July 2018 ranged in Woolworths stores nationally.

The Board are pleased with sales and production volumes which have been increasing steadily since the beginning of 2019. In addition, CDC recently commenced manufacture of 7 new products for The Collective.

To further advance CDC's production capabilities and support current and future production capacity for The Collective, CDC has agreed to invest in a high speed pouch machine expected to be operational in late 2019. In return for the additional capital investment by CDC, The Collective has agreed to extend the term of the Production Agreement by 2 years, taking the initial term from 4 years to 6 years.

Based on volume projections for the existing product range and current ranging, CDC now expects sales revenues to exceed \$70 million over the extended term of the agreement.

The Board is happy with the extension of CDC's relationship with The Collective and is pleased to support The Collective's ongoing product innovation initiatives whilst at the same time advancing CDC's production capabilities.

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#### **About Australian Dairy Nutritionals Group**

Australian Dairy Nutritionals Group (AHF) was Australia's first ASX listed dairy farmer. Its initial focus was on aggregating high quality dairy farms in Victoria, initially in the South Western region of Victoria with particular emphasis on the famous Dairy Golden Triangle region between Warrnambool and Colac south of the Princes Highway.

In April 2016 the Group completed the acquisition of its processing facility Camperdown Dairy Company Pty Ltd. The Group is now a vertically integrated milk producer, processor and product distributor in Australia and for export. Refer to the Group's Strategy Overview released to market on 11 July 2017 for additional information about AHF's immediate and longer term strategic planning.

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