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## ASX ANNOUNCEMENT 1 March 2023

## **Aspen Group**

Aspen Group (ASX: APZ) ("Aspen") is pleased to announce the creation of Tween Waters Merimbula through the integration of Tween Waters Holiday Park and Black Dolphin Resort Motel that settled today.

The Tween Waters Merimbula park map is shown below.

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Merimbula is a highly attractive retirement and tourist location located roughly halfway between Sydney and Melbourne, and about a 3-hour drive from Canberra.

Tween Waters Merimbula spans about 3 hectares and has 147 approved dwellings and sites suitable for a broad range of customers. We recently appointed a new dedicated Manager with extensive experience operating resorts for Accor in Australia and New Zealand, and we also warmly welcome seven members of the Black Dolphin team. We will soon commence a program to upgrade facilities and cabins/rooms to ensure Tween Waters Merimbula remains one of the leading parks on the Sapphire Coast. Over the medium to long term, the potential exists to increase density through development of more facilities and dwellings including multi-storey apartments.

The combined park has been externally valued at \$15.7 million net of \$0.7 million capex allowance, with an assumed capitalisation rate of 8.25%.

Further information regarding the acquisition was released to the ASX on 23 December 2022.

Announcement authorised by the Joint CEOs.

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