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## **SDI Limited receives a \$3 million Commonwealth Government Grant**

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MELBOURNE, Australia – SDI Limited (ASX: SDI) is pleased to announce that it has been granted a \$3 million (over 3 years) Commonwealth Government grant through the Cooperative Research Centres Projects (CRC-P) Program.

SDI will be the lead partner in a joint collaboration with the Universities of New South Wales, Sydney and Wollongong. Additional support to the project will be provided by two Melbourne based companies, Dentalk Pty Ltd and Bestech Pty Ltd.

The project, “Dentistry without mercury – Glass fibre reinforced flowable dental composite restorative materials” will develop materials that provide alternatives to dental Amalgam restoratives. This project is designed to develop alternative materials that can provide the strength and characteristics of Amalgam which are aesthetic in nature, low cost and allow for ease of use by Dentists.

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### **About SDI Limited**

SDI has a long history of research and development, manufacturing and marketing of innovative dental materials. Founded in 1972, the Company has grown to become a world leader in the dental industry with expertise in restorative material, tooth whitening and adhesives.

SDI is renowned in the global industry for its ionglass<sup>TM</sup> manufacturing technology, which has led to the development of many unique brands, including the Riva range of glass ionomer products. Further, Pola, SDI’s innovative whitening system, has accumulated more than 15 years of clinical success worldwide and enjoys significant brand equity globally.

SDI's products are developed, designed and manufactured in Victoria, Australia and distributed to over 100 countries worldwide. SDI has sales and distribution subsidiaries in the USA, Germany and Brazil.