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Indian MOD Data Network Project Update: First 200 Systems Delivered & Next 200 Systems Production Now Well Underway

Ava Risk Group Limited (ASX: AVA) (Ava Group or Company) today provides the following market update with respect to the large scale supply of FFT's SecureLink technology to protect data communications cables for the Indian Ministry of Defence (IMOD):

As previously advised to the ASX in December, Ava has received and accepted a Purchase Order for US\$11.9m (A\$17.5m) of licencing income from its in-country manufacturing partner, SFO Technologies Private Limited (SFO) and has received a US\$2.1m (A\$3.1m) Bank Guarantee from SFO as security for SFO payment obligations to Ava under the contract.

- Ava also previously advised that Manufacturing of the first batch of 600 systems, representing circa 25% of total contract volume, had commenced and on 18 December 2019, Ava advised the ASX that SFO had successfully completed the FAT for the first 200 systems.
- Ava can now confirm that the shipment of the first 200 systems from SFO to the end user was successfully achieved prior to end of December 2019.
- As a result Ava confirms that it expects to recognise revenue (licencing income) of circa A\$1.5m in Q2.
- Production of the next 200 systems, expected to be shipped in January 2020, is well underway, with approximately half of these units now built and ready for dispatch by month end.
- The remaining 200 units from this first 25% of the project are expected be built and shipped in February 2020.
- As a result, Ava expects at least A\$3m of the remaining A\$16m in IMOD revenues to be recognised in Q3 FY2020, and the entire project to be delivered before the end of CY2020.
- Ava anticipates additional revenues will follow from a separate subsequent 7-year spares and maintenance contract for this project, which has an estimated value of a further US\$3.4m (A\$5.0m).

Ava will provide an update on our H1 FY2020 results and guidance later this month.

Approved for release for and on behalf of the Board of Directors,

Leigh Davis

Company Secretary

Please refer to Note 1 below.









About the Ava Group

The Ava Group, comprising world leading technology divisions Future Fibre Technologies (FFT) and BQT Solutions (BQT) is a market leader in the provision of risk management services and technologies, trusted by some of the most security conscious commercial, industrial, military and government clients in the world.

The Group features a range of complementary solutions including intrusion detection for perimeters, pipelines and data networks, biometric and card access control as well as the secure international logistics (Ava Global) and storage of high value assets. Through decades of innovation, the Ava Group continues to build upon a comprehensive portfolio of premium services and technologies for the most complex and demanding markets.

Our business truly serves a global market, with our knowledgeable team spread across six continents, providing market and industry expertise directly to customers. With thousands of sites protected, the Ava Group is proven to deliver first class services and technologies that surpass the expectations of our partners and end users.

Note 1

Further information on the IMOD project is available via previous market announcements (see www.asx.com.au)

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