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## Ausenco nominated for EPC contract at BMA coal mine

Ausenco Limited (ASX:AAX) has been nominated as preferred contractor to provide engineering, procurement and construction (EPC) services for the long term tailings facility at a BHP Billiton Mitsubishi Alliance (BMA) Coal Mine in Central Queensland.

The Create phase EPC contract is for an 18 kilometre long distance tailings and return pipeline between the mine coal handling processing plant and an in pit storage facility. Ausenco will now be working with BMA to finalise the contract pricing to be no more than \$33 million. The pipeline is to be completed by late 2016.

Ausenco CEO Zimi Meka said the nomination as preferred contractor reflected the company's unique global expertise developed over 30 years in design and construction of long distance slurry pipelines.

"We look forward to finalising the contract and working with BMA on a innovative pipeline solution that will facilitate ongoing operations at this mine.

"This award increases Ausenco's work on hand (including preferred contractors) to over \$300 million. Combined with other recent EPC and EPCM awards over the last few weeks improves Ausenco's forward revenue visibility," he said

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## About Ausenco

Ausenco is a global, diversified engineering, construction and project management company providing services in Minerals & Metals, Process Infrastructure, Program Management, Environment & Sustainability and Oil & Gas. We deliver new and better ways to add value to our clients' projects no matter how demanding and we deliver results in some of the world's most challenging environments. Listed on the ASX in 2006, our growth strategy is focused on sector, solution and geographic expansion. We operate from 31 offices in 19 countries.