



Australian Industry  
Participation Authority

# Australian Jobs Act 2013

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## Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

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**Nominated project proponent:** PURE BATTERY TECHNOLOGIES (WA) PTY LTD

### Project details

Name: WA pCAM Hub

Location: Kalgoorlie, WA

Type: Other productive facility

Purpose: Establish new facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: Pure Battery Technologies (PBT) are collaborating with nickel producers in the WA Goldfields (such as Poseidon Nickel) in building an integrated nickel and cobalt battery material refinery in Western Australia. The refinery will initially produce 50,000t per annum of precursor Cathode Active Material (pCAM). The volume of 50,000t of pCAM material is sufficient to make batteries for about 500,000 electric vehicles (EV). PBT is the exclusive commercial owner of the patented technology referred to as NMC Direct which can be used to refine various metals including NiSO<sub>4</sub> (nickel sulphate) and NMC (nickel, manganese, cobalt) from concentrated materials. The refinery is situated within the Shire of Coolgardie on the Mungari Strategic Industrial Area which is located approximately 26 km south-west of Kalgoorlie and 13 km northeast of Coolgardie in Western Australia.

Completion date: 31 Mar 2025

## Key goods and services

Indicative list of key goods and services to be acquired for the project:

Key goods and services	Opportunities for Australian entities*	Opportunities for non-Australian entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Utilities and Onsite Infrastructure	Yes	Yes	
Ancillary Facilities	Yes	Yes	
Bulk Earthworks	Yes	No	
Water Treatment Facilities	Yes	Yes	
Product Handling	Yes	Yes	
pCAM Processing Facility	Yes	Yes	
Reagents and Services	Yes	Yes	
Vehicles and Mobile Equipment	Yes	No	
Engineering, Procurement, Construction Management (EPCM) Services	Yes	No	
Mechanical Process Equipment	Yes	Yes	
Oxygen Plant	Yes	Yes	
Mixed Hydroxide Precipitate (MHP) Processing Facility	Yes	Yes	
Power Generation	Yes	No	

\* An Australian entity is an entity with an ABN or ACN

Project standards:

Australian  
International

## Supplier information and communication

Project proponent's contact person for supplier enquiries:

**Contact person name** Kate Dickson  
**Contact person position** Strategy & Stakeholder Development Manager  
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Project proponent website: <https://purebatterytech.com/wa/>

Project opportunities website: <https://purebatterytech.com/wa/>

Supplier engagement and communication actions :

Promote project opportunities through industry associations  
 Conduct supplier information briefings on project opportunities and bid processes  
 Issue media releases or ASX announcements on project developments and opportunities  
 Directly contact suppliers with information on project opportunities and bid processes

## Building Australian industry capability

### Supplier capability development actions:

- Recommend suppliers undertake training and/or accreditation
- Encourage joint ventures and alliances between suppliers

### Global supply chain integration actions:

- Introduce suppliers to global supply chain partners
- Provide references for high performing suppliers
- Recommend Suppliers undertake accreditation and training

### Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

Written feedback will be provided to unsuccessful tenderers, with an open request for a more detailed verbal debrief at their request.

# Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Operations Phase

**Nominated facility operator:** PURE BATTERY TECHNOLOGIES (WA) PTY LTD

## Facility details

Name: WA pCAM Hub

Location: Kalgoorlie, WA

Type: Other productive facility

## Key goods and services

Indicative list of key goods and services to be acquired for the new facility:

Key goods and services	Opportunities for Australian entities*	Opportunities for non-Australian entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Reagents	Yes	Yes	
Transport	Yes	No	
Cleaning	Yes	No	
Security	Yes	No	
Maintenance	Yes	Yes	

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Facility standards:

Australian  
International

## Supplier information and communication

Facility operator's contact person for supplier enquiries:

**Contact person name** Richard Wittig  
**Contact person position** Project Director  
**Phone number** 0457656090  
**E-mail** Richard@purebatterytech.com

Facility operator website: <https://purebatterytech.com/wa/>

Facility opportunities website: <https://purebatterytech.com/wa/>

Supplier engagement and communication actions :

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## Building Australian industry capability

### Supplier capability development actions:

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### Global supply chain integration actions:

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- Recommend supplier undertake training and/or accreditation

### Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

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