



## Australian Jobs Act 2013

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# Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

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**Nominated project proponent:** BHP Iron Ore Pty Ltd as agent for BHP Iron Ore (Jimblebar)

## Project details

Name: Ministers North

Location: Yandi, Western Australia

Type: Mine or quarry

Purpose: Upgrade existing facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: Ministers North is a high-grade, Brockman ore deposit located ~13km south-east of Yandi in the Central Pilbara. Ministers North will deliver 20Mtpa Ore for Rail with an expected mine life off ~11-years. First Ore is expected to be delivered in FY28. The Project Scope consists of pre-stripping to establish a satellite mining operation, supporting mine site infrastructure, powerline relocation, a haul road connecting Ministers North to Yandi and modification of the existing Yandi processing infrastructure to process Brockman ore.

Completion date: 30 Jun 2028

## 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
Structural Steel Fabrication (Good)	Yes	Yes	
MSE Walls, Concrete Arches and Rockbolts (Design and Supply) (Good)	Yes	No	
Primary Crusher (Jaw Crusher) (Good)	Yes	No	
Rock Breaker (Good)	Yes	No	
Secondary Scalping Screen (Good)	Yes	No	
Secondary Cone Crusher (Good)	Yes	No	
Conveyor Belt and Splice Kits (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Conveyor Drives (Good)	No	Yes	sole source tender with non-Australian entity - AIP approved sole source 30/04/2025
Conveyor Pulleys (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Vibrating Grizzly Feeder (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Chutes and Mechanical Platework Fabrication (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Prefabricated Substations (Good)	Yes	Yes	
6.6kV Switchgear (Good)	Yes	Yes	
LV Transformers (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Civil and Earthworks (Service)	Yes	No	
Non-Process Infrastructure (Service)	Yes	No	
132kV Line relocation & 33kV Line Reticulation (Service)	Yes	No	
Concrete Batch Plant (Service)	Yes	No	
WTS/DRS Communication Infrastructure (Service)	Yes	No	
Bussing (Service)	Yes	No	
Security Services (Service)	Yes	No	
Waste Removal (Service)	Yes	No	
General & Enabling Site Services (Service)	Yes	No	
Haul trucks Rebuild (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Excavators (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Ancillary Mining Fleet (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Auxiliary Mining Fleet (Good)	Yes	Yes	
Engineering Service Provider (ESP) (Service)	Yes	No	
EPC Services - Eastern Front End (EFE) (Service)	Yes	No	
Civil & Bulk Earthworks - Haul Road (Service)	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 Bushby  
**Contact person position** Lead Commercial  
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Project proponent website: <https://www.bhp.com/suppliers/find-opportunities>

Project opportunities website:

[https://gateway.icn.org.au/projects/12313/pg-12313?scroll\\_pos=0](https://gateway.icn.org.au/projects/12313/pg-12313?scroll_pos=0)

Supplier engagement and communication actions :

- Promote project opportunities through industry associations
- Engage with vendor identification agencies 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
- Key Contractors Compliance

## Building Australian industry capability

Supplier capability development actions:

- Recommend suppliers undertake training and/or accreditation
- Encourage Australian entities to undertake research and development and innovative activities
- Direct engagement of local, small or Indigenous Australian entities

Global supply chain integration actions:

- Support suppliers to register with global supplier databases

Feedback:

The project proponent will ensure that its procurement entities offer, and if requested, provide feedback to Australian entities whose bids to supply key goods or services for the project have not been successful. Feedback will include recommendations about any relevant training, skills capability and capacity development.