

## **MEDIA STATEMENT**

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### **Australian Hydrogen Council welcomes South Australia's Hydrogen Jobs Plan**

The Australian Hydrogen Council has today welcomed the announcement by South Australia's Labor party on its hydrogen jobs plan.

Australian Hydrogen Council CEO Dr Fiona Simon made the following statements:

"I would like to congratulate the State Labor Opposition party for its vision for an energy future powered by hydrogen.

"This plan has a clear focus on putting policy in place to secure jobs of the future, increase the state's energy independence and reduce carbon emissions.

"South Australia is a renewable powerhouse with an ambitious renewables agenda to reduce emissions and lower electricity prices for consumers and industrial users. Hydrogen can step in and help South Australia achieve its vision by firming electricity supply, reducing emissions from industries such as transport and manufacturing, and creating a new export industry."

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#### **About Australian Hydrogen Council**

The Australian Hydrogen Council is the peak representative body for the Australian hydrogen industry. Members include Air Liquide, Aluminium Revolutionary Chassis Company, Ampol, ANT Energy Solutions, ANZ Banking Group, APA Group, Arup, ATCO, AusNet Services/Mondo, Australian Gas Infrastructure Group, Baker Hughes, BOC, BP, BusTech Group, Chart Industries, Coregas, CS Energy, Custom Denning, Daimler, Downer, Emerson, ENEA consulting, Engie, Fortescue Metals Group, Foton Mobility, Gallagher Fuel Systems Ltd, GHD, Global Energy Ventures, H2H Energy, H2U, Haskel, Hazer, Horizon Power, Howden, Hydro Tasmania, Hyundai Australia, ITM Power, Jacobs, Jemena, KBR, Lochard Energy, Luxfer Australia, National Australia Bank, Nel, Origin Energy, Quanta Services Australia, S&P Global Platts, Samson, SG Fleet, Siemens, Southern Green Gas, Stanwell, Star Scientific, Sumitomo Australia Pty Ltd, Sun Metals, TFA Project Group, Toyota Australia, Transit Systems, UL Renewables, UPC\AC Renewables Australia, Valmec, Viva Energy, Weidmüller, Wood, Woodside, Worley.