

Announcement

GeoGAS attains NATA accreditation in gas composition testing

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RungePincockMinarco [ASX: RUL] (RPM) today announces that its wholly-owned subsidiary and laboratory gas testing company, GeoGAS Pty Ltd (GeoGAS) has been formally recognised for its technical competence and business management in gas chromatography testing by the National Association of Testing Authorities, Australia (NATA), a respected industry body for laboratory testing.

The NATA accreditation certifies that the stringent systems and processes used in GeoGAS' laboratories in Mackay and Wollongong meet the relevant international standard in gas chromatography testing which is used to determine the breakdown of gas composition obtained from a coal sample.

RPM's Managing Director, Richard Mathews, commenting on the certification said, "NATA accreditation is the gold standard in laboratory testing and we're delighted that NATA has formally recognised our competence in this way."

"With this accreditation, our gas chromatograph testing clients can be confident in the professionalism and accuracy of the methods we use to deliver test results."

GeoGAS' laboratory gas testing is used by coal clients in Australia and overseas to determine project risks and opportunities. It is particularly important in improving mine safety by mitigating dangerous gas outbursts. GeoGAS has completed over 25,000 gas content tests for clients globally.

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RungePincockMinarco Limited (ASX: RUL) is the world's largest publicly traded independent group of mining technical experts, with history stretching back to 1968. We have local expertise in all mining regions and are experienced across all commodities and mining methods.

Listed on the Australian Securities Exchange on 27 May 2008, RungePincockMinarco is a global leader in the provision of advisory consulting, technology and professional development solutions to the mining industry. We have global expertise achieved through our work in over 118 countries and our approach to the business of mining is strongly grounded in economic principles.

We operate offices in 18 locations across 12 countries on five continents.

About GeoGAS

GeoGAS provides specialist laboratory and consulting services to the mining and CSG industries.

With over 20 years of experience in gas content testing and reporting services, and one of the most comprehensive gas testing databases in Australia, GeoGAS is known for its accurate and reliable results and has completed over 25,000 gas content tests. GeoGAS has two state-of-the art, laboratories in Mackay and Wollongong. GeoGAS is a wholly owned subsidiary of RungePincockMinarco Limited, the world's largest publicly traded independent group of mining technical experts.