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## **Ausenco wins Didipio Engineering Contract**

Ausenco Limited (ASX: AAX) today announced the award of a Create phase contract for OceanaGold Corporation's Didipio Project in the Philippines.

Ausenco's role on the project, which is due to be completed by October 2011, involves the provision of \$7 million of engineering and procurement services for the mine's process plant and power station.

Ausenco CEO Zimi Meka said he was pleased to be given the opportunity to continue working with the OceanaGold team to deliver this project.

"Our Minerals & Metals business was involved in the Didipio project before it was put on care and maintenance, so we are glad to be able to continue working with the team once again on this exciting project," he said.

"This award builds on the momentum of new Create phase projects we enjoyed in the second half of 2010 and is an encouraging and positive win for the beginning of 2011."

OceanaGold has announced it has in place funding for the expected US\$140 million capital to complete the project and has recently commenced pre-construction activities and obtained permits and licences to achieve commercial production in the first quarter of 2013.

The Didipio Project is located approximately 270 kilometres north of Manila in Northern Luzon, Philippines.

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Ausenco sets high global standards for leading edge engineering and project management services in the resources and energy sectors. We're a growing company with big ambitions that thrives on reaching into new markets. Across 32 offices in 20 countries, our people seek ingenious solutions for our clients in the Energy, Environment & Sustainability, Minerals & Metals, Process Infrastructure and Program Management sectors. We're inspired to make a genuine positive impact on the world around us and in the communities in which we operate.