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## **Ausenco commences work on EPCM contract for Viga 15 iron ore expansion**

Ausenco Limited (ASX: AAX) announces that a consortium between ARCADIS Logos, the Brazilian subsidiary of ARCADIS, and Ausenco do Brasil Engenharia Ltda., the Brazilian subsidiary of Ausenco Limited, has been awarded the contract to deliver engineering, procurement and construction management services for Ferrous Resources' US\$1.28 billion expansion of the Brazilian Viga 15 iron ore project to 15 Mty.

Ausenco CEO Zimi Meka said the award further strengthened Ausenco's ongoing relationship with Ferrous Resources, having delivered engineering services on the initial phases of the Viga project in 2011.

"We are delighted to be engaged for the Viga 15 project's expansion phase and look forward to working with ARCADIS Logos jointly to deliver a successful outcome," Mr Meka said.

The ARCADIS Logos–Ausenco consortium will be responsible for the Innovate and Create phases involving the design and construction management of the Viga Beneficiation Plant (crushing, screening, grinding, de-sliming and flotation), filter plant, rail loading terminal, power distribution, water capture and distribution, tailings and water return pipelines, and access infrastructure.

The basic engineering phase of the contract will commence immediately with consortium activities targeted for completion by December 2017.

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