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Defence and Data Centres Drive NT Expansion

SKS Technologies Group Limited (ASX: SKS) has expanded its Northern Territory operations with a number of recent project wins in different market sectors totalling in excess of \$21 million.

Chief Executive Officer, Matthew Jinks, said, "There is ample opportunity for SKS Technologies in the Northern Territory under a range of policy initiatives designed to build digital infrastructure, including data centres, and invest in defence projects."

"Last year, we completed stage 1 for the new NextDC data centre in Darwin, built in partnership with the Northern Territory Government, as part of its Digital Territory Action Plan. As a testament to the quality and reliability of our work, we have now been awarded stage 2, which is the larger portion of the project."

This facility is the first of its kind in that region of Australia, bringing world-class digital infrastructure and underpinning a key tenet of the Digital Territory Action Plan, as a facility with 8MW, 3,000m² of technical space, 15 data halls and rack capacity of 1,500, 100% uptime and 2,000m² mission critical space.

Other recent project wins spread across a range of smaller projects, including for the defence sector, and include works for the Australian Defence Force's RAAF headquarters in Darwin and for Project Phoenix at Mount Bundy, located 115 km southeast of Darwin, which aims to develop and install upgraded high-frequency/long-distance communication infrastructure.

Having built a strong financial platform from which to expand to the next stage of its growth, an important focus for the business lies in increasing diversification, across both market sectors and geographical operations. A range of government incentives and industry initiatives make the Northern Territory an ideal place to increase this diversification.

Mr Jinks also said, "For a fully integrated, end-to-end electrotechnology solutions business, the Northern Territory provides substantial scope for us to increase our presence in a territory where the opportunities are directly relevant to our combination of capabilities, our expertise and our track record for excellence in project delivery across the full spectrum of industry sectors."

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About SKS Technologies Group Limited (ASX: SKS)

SKS Technologies Group specialises in the design and installation of electrical technologies and digital infrastructure with a diversified service offering covering audio visual, communications and electrical solutions across Australia. SKS Technologies serves the full spectrum of industry sectors, including data centres, defence, mining, health, retail and commercial buildings.