



Media Release

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NSW GOVERNMENT GRANT BRINGS NEW GREEN JOBS TO THE ILLAWARRA

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Minister for the Illawarra David Campbell today announced the NSW Government was helping local business Enretech Australasia bring new green jobs to the Illawarra.

Mr Campbell said the NSW Government Illawarra Advantage Fund grant would help Enretech Australasia to create eight new jobs in the Southern Highlands.

“We’re committed to helping businesses in the Illawarra grow in order to attract new investment and bring green jobs into the area,” Mr Campbell said.

“This funding will go towards relocating to new, bigger premises at Moss Vale and to hiring eight new staff.

“The expansion is a \$1.06 million private investment into new jobs for the Illawarra and to protecting the local environment.

“The expansion, which is now underway, will provide extra floor space and we expect the new facility will be up and running in November this year.”

Mr Campbell said Enretech Australasia’s products included spill kits and industrial absorbents made from fully recycled by-products that minimise waste and degrade in landfill.

“Enretech Australasia’s products are used to remove pollutants and contaminants from environmental spills so they play a very important job in protecting our environment,” Mr Campbell said.

“Enretech Australasia is an important business to the Illawarra region – the products made here by local tradespeople are sold worldwide.

“Enretech will be able to expand its manufacturing and assembly capacity and add a new product line at the new facility.

“Enretech products are sold through national supply companies, with international sales also made to Japan, Malaysia, Indonesia, New Zealand, South Africa and Vietnam.

“The NSW Government also assisted Enretech to get into exporting with support from the Australian Technology Showcase program.”

Enretech Australasia Pty Ltd is being assisted by the Department of Industry and Investment.

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