

## DIPLOMA AWARDED \$49M FIFO ACCOMMODATION CONTRACT FOR RIO TINTO

**Diploma Group Limited** (ASX: DGX) is pleased to announce that its wholly owned subsidiary, Diploma Construction (WA) Pty Ltd, has been awarded a \$49 million contract for Rio Tinto's Wickham Accommodation Expansion Project.

Stage 1 of the Wickham Lodge FIFO Accommodation project involves the Design and Construction of 198 one-person accommodation rooms over three storeys with associated services and infrastructure. The design incorporates the use of modular prefabricated units that are manufactured offsite.

Commenting on the award of the contract Diploma Group CEO, Nick Di Latte said "we are delighted to have secured our second project with Rio Tinto following the successful award in July 2012 of the \$44m Rocklea Palms FIFO Accommodation project in Paraburdoo."

The award of this important contract takes Diploma's current order book to \$346m to be completed over the next 24 months. This first stage of the Wickham Lodge FIFO Contract commences immediately and is expected to complete in September 2013.

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### ABOUT DIPLOMA GROUP

Established in 1976, Diploma is a leading property development, construction and realty company with a diverse portfolio of award winning commercial, retail, mixed use and residential developments.

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