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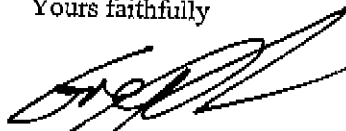
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Dear Sir/Madam

Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty Limited, ACN 106 594 816 ("Bilfinger Australia"): Takeover Bid for Abigroup Limited (ABG)

Pursuant to section 647(3)(b) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) and on behalf of Bilfinger Australia, we attach a supplementary bidder's statement in relation to Bilfinger Australia's takeover bid for all ordinary shares in Abigroup Limited.

Yours faithfully



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Attachment

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**Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty Limited
ACN 106 594 816**

**Supplementary Bidder's Statement
relating to a Cash Offer
from Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty Limited
ACN 106 594 816
to acquire all of your ordinary shares in
Abigroup Limited, ACN 000 358 467**

1. Preliminary

1.1 Supplementary Bidder's Statement

This document is a supplementary bidder's statement given pursuant to Chapter 6 of the Corporations Act 2001 ("**Supplementary Bidder's Statement**").

It is the Supplementary Bidder's Statement prepared by Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty Limited, ACN 106 594 816 ("**Bilfinger Australia**") in relation to a cash offer from Bilfinger Australia to acquire shares in Abigroup Limited, ACN 000 358 467 ("**Abigroup**") contained in section 3 of Bilfinger Australia's bidder's statement dated 24 October 2003 (the "**Original Bidder's Statement**"). This Supplementary Bidder's Statement supplements, and is to be read together with, the Original Bidder's Statement.

1.2 Defined Terms

A number of defined terms are used in this Supplementary Bidder's Statement. Terms which are not defined in this Supplementary Bidder's Statement have the meaning given to them in Section 7 of the Original Bidder's Statement.

1.3 ASX Announcement

Attached as Annexure A to this Supplementary Bidder's Statement is the text of an announcement by Bilfinger Australia to the ASX dated 3 December 2003, which includes reference to payment of broker handling fees.

1.4 Broker Handling Fees

Bilfinger Australia announced that, if the Offer becomes, or is declared, unconditional, it will pay broker handling fees (Fees) to participating organisations of the Australian Stock Exchange Limited (ASX) who initiate acceptances of the Offer by Abigroup retail shareholders. The detailed terms and conditions on which the Fees will be payable are set out in the remainder of this section 1.4.

Subject to the terms set out in this section 1.4, Bilfinger Australia will pay a Fee to participating organisations of the ASX ("**Brokers**") who initiate acceptances of the Offers

("Acceptances") by Abigroup shareholders who held less than 100,000 Abigroup shares as at the date of receipt of the Acceptance ("Retail Shareholders"). The Fee payable in respect of any Acceptance will be 0.5% of the \$3.90 per share consideration payable by Bilfinger Australia under the Offer as a result of that Acceptance, subject to a maximum Fee payable in respect of any Acceptance of \$500 and a minimum Fee payable in respect of any Acceptance of \$50. Fees will be payable in respect of Acceptances received on and from 3 December 2003 until the close of the Offer.

Fees are payable to Brokers only and no part of any Fee may be passed on or paid to Abigroup shareholders. Brokers are not entitled to receive any Fee in respect of any Abigroup shares in which they, or an associate (as defined in the Corporations Act), hold a relevant interest (as defined in the Corporations Act).

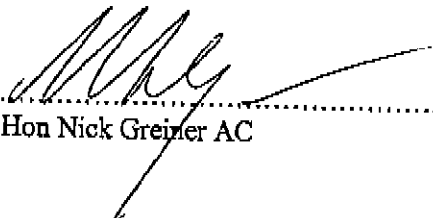
Brokers' entitlement to the Fees will be determined by Bilfinger Australia receiving an acceptance form bearing the Broker's stamp or, in the case of CHESS holdings, other written confirmation acceptable to Bilfinger Australia that the Broker is the Controlling Participant who has initiated the Acceptance in relation to the parcel concerned

Fees liable to be paid in respect of any Acceptance, will be paid by Bilfinger Australia within 14 days after the later of Bilfinger Australia receiving the Acceptance and the date the Offer becomes unconditional.

Bilfinger Australia reserves the right to aggregate any Acceptances in determining the Fees payable to any Broker if Bilfinger Australia believes that a party has structured holdings of Abigroup shares to take advantage of the Fees.

Dated: 3/12/03

SIGNED on behalf of Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty
Limited ACN 106 594 816 by The Hon Nick Greiner AC,
director, who is authorised to sign this Supplementary
Bidder's Statement by a resolution of the directors of
Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty Limited


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The Hon Nick Greiner AC

Annexure A
BILFINGER AUSTRALIA PRESS RELEASE



3 December, 2003

**BILFINGER AUSTRALIA OBTAINS REGULATORY APPROVALS
FROM ACCC AND FIRB, AND HAS RECEIVED ACCEPTANCES
FOR MORE THAN 60% OF SHARES IN ABIGROUP**

Bilfinger Berger Australia Pty Ltd (Bilfinger Australia) today announced that it has received approval for its takeover offer (Offer) for Abigroup Limited (Abigroup) from the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission and the Foreign Investment Review Board.

Following receipt of those approvals, Vercot Pty Limited (Vercot), Abigroup's largest shareholder, has now accepted the Offer in relation to its entire holding. Mr John Cassidy, Chief Executive Officer of Abigroup, and Mr Darrell Hendry, Chief Financial Officer of Abigroup, are shareholders in Vercot.

In addition all Abigroup directors have accepted the Offer in relation to their personal shareholdings. As a result Bilfinger Australia has now received acceptances for more than 60% of the shares in Abigroup.

Commenting on the approvals Bilfinger Australia Chairman Nick Greiner said:

"We welcome the decisions by the ACCC and FIRB and Vercot's subsequent acceptance of our Offer.

In addition, we also welcome the acceptance of the Offer by all Abigroup directors in relation to their personal shareholdings, and the Abigroup Board's statement that any alternative offer for the company is extremely unlikely to emerge.

As stated previously, we believe Abigroup would fit well within our global business in terms of its commitment to excellence and reputation in the marketplace. It is intended that Abigroup will be run separately from our existing Australian operation, Boulderstone Hornibrook, which will continue to operate on a stand-alone basis."

The Abigroup Board today reaffirmed its recommendation that Abigroup shareholders accept the Offer, and advised shareholders that an alternative offer for the company was extremely unlikely to emerge.

The Offer is scheduled to close at 7.00pm (Sydney time) on 19 December 2003.

Bilfinger Australia is offering A\$3.90 per Abigroup share, valuing Abigroup at approximately A\$185 million.

In addition, the Abigroup board has announced that if the Offer becomes unconditional, Abigroup will declare a A\$0.10 cent fully-franked special dividend payable by Abigroup for each Abigroup share (if any) held on the dividend record date (which will be seven business days after the Offer becomes unconditional).

Broker handling fee

Bilfinger Australia also announced that, if the Offer becomes, or is declared, unconditional, it will pay broker handling fees (Fees) to participating organisations of the Australian Stock Exchange Limited (ASX) who initiate acceptances of the Offer by Abigroup retail shareholders. The detailed terms and conditions on which the Fees will be payable are set out below and in a supplementary bidder's statement that Bilfinger Australia will lodge with the ASX as soon as practicable.

Subject to the terms below, Bilfinger Australia will pay a Fee to participating organisations of the ASX (Brokers) who initiate acceptances of the Offers (Acceptances) by Abigroup shareholders who held less than 100,000 Abigroup shares as at the date of receipt of the Acceptance (Retail Shareholders). The Fee payable in respect of any Acceptance will be 0.5% of the \$3.90 per share consideration payable by Bilfinger Australia under the Offer as a result of that Acceptance, subject to a maximum Fee payable in respect of any Acceptance of \$500 and a minimum Fee payable in respect of any Acceptance of \$50.00. Fees will be payable in respect of Acceptances received on and from 3 December 2003 until the close of the Offer.

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Brokers' entitlement to the Fees will be determined by Bilfinger Australia receiving an acceptance form bearing the Broker's stamp or, in the case of CHESS holdings, other written confirmation acceptable to Bilfinger Australia that the Broker is the Controlling Participant who has initiated the Acceptance in relation to the parcel concerned

Fees liable to be paid in respect of any Acceptance, will be paid by Bilfinger Australia within 14 days after the later of Bilfinger Australia receiving the Acceptance and the date the Offer becomes unconditional.

Bilfinger Australia reserves the right to aggregate any Acceptances in determining the Fees payable to any Broker if Bilfinger Australia believes that a party has structured holdings of Abigroup shares to take advantage of the Fees.

Questions About the Offer

Should Abigroup shareholders have any questions about the Offer, or about how to accept the Offer, they should call 1800 24 23 00 (toll free) from within Australia or +61 2 9207 3622 (not toll free) from outside Australia. In accordance with legal requirements, calls to these numbers will be recorded.

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About Bilfinger Berger

Bilfinger Berger AG is a leading multi-service group which provides comprehensive solutions to complex building and infrastructure projects both in Germany and internationally. As well as civil engineering and building construction, its range of services encompasses the development, design and financing of facilities, including their turnkey construction, maintenance and operation. Bilfinger Berger AG has 50,000 employees worldwide.

The global presence of the Bilfinger Group spans five continents with operations in Europe, United States, Southeast Asia, Africa and Australia. Bilfinger Berger AG's Australian operations are conducted through its wholly-owned subsidiary, A. W. Baulderstone Holdings Pty Limited, which trades under the name Baulderstone Hornibrook. Major projects undertaken by Bilfinger Berger AG include the construction of the M5 East Freeway and Cross City Tunnel in Sydney, the New Frankfurt-Cologne ICE High-Speed Train Line, the Taipei-Kaohsiung High Speed Railway in Taiwan and the Subway in Bangkok, Thailand.

Bilfinger Berger AG is listed on the Frankfurt and Stuttgart stock exchanges and has a market capitalisation of approximately €950 million. The largest shareholder of Bilfinger Berger AG is Allianz AG, which holds approximately 25% of its ordinary shares on issue via Dresdner Bank AG, with the balance held by German and international institutions and retail investors.

For more information on Bilfinger Berger AG please visit: www.bilfingerberger.com