



## Media Release

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### RMDSTEM wins Alternative Oxidant Pilot Plant Trial at Olympic Dam

RMDSTEM Managing Director Ian Lawrence announced today that the company had won a contract to conduct an Alternative Oxidant Pilot Plant trial as part of BHP Billiton's massive expansion project at Olympic Dam. The 12 week trial will be led RMDSTEM's practice leader Sarah Buckler and staffed with two of the company's engineers. Sarah has worked on a number of process improvement projects at Olympic Dam.

Ian said, "We're pleased that BHP Billiton has chosen us for this important piece of work. It supports our capacity to undertake asset management on behalf of one of the largest mining companies in the world. If the trial is successful we will be in the running for the next stage of work, which would be operating a full scale demonstration plant over 18 months."

The trial is expected to start in July.

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