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PHEBRA THANKS INDUSTRY AND INNOVATION MINISTER GREG COMBET

Australian pharmaceutical firm Phebra has thanked the Federal Industry and Innovation Minister, Greg Combet, for officially opening and inspecting its new \$25 million sterile manufacturing plant at Lane Cove West.

“We would like to thank Minister Combet for his support of Phebra as an Australian-owned pharmaceutical company,” Phebra’s Chief Executive Officer, Dr Mal Eutick, said today.

“The Minister undertook an inspection of the site and was briefed on how Phebra’s new plant will deliver extra production capacity for us to manufacture our range of critical medicines as well as expanding our capability to conduct all-important development programs now and into the future.”

Upon officially opening the plant, Minister Combet remarked that *“the Australian pharmaceutical industry is a major high tech industry. It employs more than 40,000 Australians, generates export earnings of around \$4 billion a year and invests more than \$1 billion a year in research and development.”*

ABOUT PHEBRA

Phebra is an Australian specialty pharmaceutical company that develops manufactures and markets critical medicines in Australia, New Zealand, Asia, Canada and parts of Europe.

Phebra’s range of critical medicines, currently supplied across the Australian hospital system, covers a range of pharmaceuticals in important disease areas such as cystic fibrosis, antidotes, diagnostics, oncology, pain and emergency drugs.

At Phebra, we create critical medicines that save and improve lives.



Pictured above: Federal Minister for Industry and Innovation Greg Combet at the official opening and inspection of the new Phebra manufacturing plant in Lane Cove West on 8 March, 2013.

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