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## Global engineering group Egis targets growth with new Asia Pacific CEO appointment

- **Egis targets continued expansion in Asia Pacific region**
- **Kate Drews appointed to the newly created role of Chief Executive Officer for Asia Pacific**
- **Appointment builds on Egis' significant investment in the Asia Pacific region, including recent acquisitions of engineering businesses Engeny and Peracon**

Egis, a leading global engineering and professional services organisation with operations in 100 countries, has appointed Brisbane-based Kate Drews to the newly created role of Chief Executive Officer (CEO) for Asia Pacific.

The appointment follows significant investment in the APAC region by Egis, including through its recent acquisitions of Engeny, an Australian water management, engineering and environmental consultancy, and Peracon, an Australian engineering consultancy specialising in energy transmission and distribution. Similar M&A strategies have been implemented across Asia, where Egis has a long-standing presence, supported by acquisitions like 10 Design, a leading architecture firm; Inhabit, known for façade and sustainability consulting; and Sunland (M&E), a premier building services consultant in Hong Kong. This foundation drives our growth across the Asia Pacific.

Egis' global CEO Laurent Germain said Ms Drews appointment would help to accelerate the Group's strategic growth in the region.

"We see strong growth opportunities throughout Asia Pacific, particularly in markets where there are emerging infrastructure requirements. Kate's strategic insight and leadership will enable us to meet the evolving needs of our clients and strengthen our position in the region," Mr Germain said.

Ms Drews said she was particularly looking forward to identifying opportunities for bilateral knowledge exchange and combining the strengths of the group's teams across the region to deliver high-quality client outcomes.

"I am honoured to have joined Egis as the Chief Executive Officer of APAC and am excited about the knowledge sharing opportunities available within Egis as we leverage our collective strengths and global expertise to better service our clients and communities," Ms Drews said.

"Asia's pressing needs for rapid urbanisation and sustainable solutions make it a hub for world-leading innovation. We operate strategically located technical hubs in Hong Kong, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Indonesia and China, driving innovation and enabling us to develop cutting-edge solutions for both Asia and global markets."

## About Kate Drews

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Kate Drews brings over 25 years of extensive experience in the property, energy, and infrastructure sectors. Her impressive career includes senior executive roles in global consulting organisations.

Throughout her career, Ms Drews has been instrumental in driving large-scale projects, fostering business growth, and managing complex stakeholder relationships.

Central to Ms Drews' vision is her passion for sustainability and the energy transition, as evidenced by her position on a number of industry boards and committees. Ms Drews is a respected voice in the industry, known for her leadership insights, strategic and commercial acumen, and technical expertise, making her a strong champion for the Egis brand in APAC.

## About Egis

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IMAGINE. CREATE. ACHIEVE.  
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Egis is a leading global architectural, consulting, construction engineering, operations and maintenance services firm. We create and operate intelligent infrastructure and buildings that both respond to the climate emergency and contribute to balanced, sustainable and resilient development.

Our 20,500 employees operate across over 100 countries, deploying their expertise to develop and deliver cutting-edge innovations and solutions for clients. Through the wide range of our activities, we are central to the collective organisation of society and the living environment of citizens all over the world.

Egis has been active in Asia for 70 years. With nearly 800 employees across key markets, we deliver design, engineering, and operations & maintenance services for some of the region's most significant infrastructure projects. Our growth since 2017 includes strategic investments in leading firms like 10 Design, Inhabit, and Sunland (M&E). Our technical hubs drive innovation and excellence, enabling us to provide cutting-edge solutions that meet both regional and global needs.

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