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## TENIX WINS NZ\$40M LIHIR GOLD CONTRACT

**Tenix wins structural, mechanical and piping installation contract for oxygen plant at Lihir Gold Mine in Papua New Guinea.**

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Tenix has been awarded the NZ\$40m structural, mechanical and piping (SMP) installation contract for the 1700 tonne-a-day oxygen plant at Lihir Gold Ltd's (LGL) gold mine in Papua New Guinea.

This project is part of LGL's Million Ounce Plant Upgrade expansion program to increase production to an average of one million ounces per year from 2012.

This project includes supply, fabrication and painting of all structural steel, pipe supports and tanks. The pipe spools and structural steel will be pre-fabricated off-site due to work area constraints.

Tenix will assemble and install mechanical equipment, vessels, piping and pipe supports and erect the compressor building. The works also involve non-destructive testing, pressure testing, insulation and pre-commissioning.

Lihir Island is located 900 kilometers north-east of the Papua New Guinea capital Port Moresby. The ore deposit is located on the island's east coast where the mine and processing plants are also located.

"The remote location makes Lihir Island a challenging environment. However Tenix has built a strong relationship with Lihir Gold and has completed several projects on the island. Our previous work here has Tenix well placed to deliver the current project," says Tenix CEO Ross Taylor.

### About Tenix:

Tenix is a leading provider of end-to-end services to owners of electricity, gas, water and other network and industrial assets across Australia, New Zealand and Pacific Islands. We design, construct, operate, maintain and manage assets to deliver optimal results for owners and their customers.

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