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**2020 – a year that has seen so much change in how we work, learn, live and play.**

Data centres have played a huge role in helping us stay connected with our families, friends, colleagues and customers throughout what has been an extremely challenging year.

Data centres have enabled better connections through virtual meetings, kept us entertained whilst we consume content from the likes of Netflix and Stan, and encouraged velocity with digital transformation projects taking centre stage across different industries and business alike.

As we look back on the year that has passed, we feel a strong sense of achievement at DCI Data Centers as we have continued to work hard to provide our customers with enhanced security and reliability throughout this tumultuous year.

**The Year in Review**

January 2020 – DCI appoints Diana McFarlane as Group CFO, who brings extensive financial experience from numerous listed companies across the banking, infrastructure and logistics sectors.

April 2020 – DCI announces the appointment of Malcolm Roe as CEO, together with Richard Burley as Chief Commercial Officer to lead the charge and focus on building our public cloud data centre solutions, secure government facilities and supporting the emerging edge computing sector.

July 2020 – The leadership team is further bolstered with the appointment of Verghese Jacob as Chief Technology Officer, who brings significant expertise in managing the construction and delivery of world-class data centres across the Asia Pacific region.

August 2020 – DCI secures a Development Approval for South Australia’s first Tier III / IV data centre, which is scheduled for service readiness in the fourth quarter of 2021 and is directed to the secure cloud edge, government and defence sectors.

September 2020 – DCI appoints Ras Scollay, Senior Vice President of Business Development (Asia) and Chris Clarkson, Head of Business Development (South Australia & Northern Territory) as part of our commitment to customer-centricity and our expansion into targeted hyperscale markets across Asia Pacific.

November 2020 – DCI announced a strategic technology partnership with Inner Range to enhance the security posture and access controls of DCI’s data centre facilities. Inner Range is the first electronic security manufacturer to gain independent Class 5 Certification by the Australian Security Industry Association Limited (ASIAL).

We want to thank all our customers, partners, affiliate organisations and staff who have contributed to our growth. The team at DCI Data Centers look forward to seeing us all remain safe and having a successful year in 2021 and beyond.

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