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## **Powering up Tasmania's future prosperity with Marinus Link**

The Tasmanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry supports business in Tasmania and is proud to welcome the historic agreement between the State and Federal Governments to give the green light to Marinus Link.

TCCI CEO, Michael Bailey, said the agreement will help power the Tasmanian economy for generations to come.

"Today's announcement will unlock the second wave of hydro-industrialisation for Tasmania," Mr Bailey said.

"And just like the first post-war wave of hydro-industrialisation, it will power jobs and investment and support communities right around the State.

"The Tasmanian and Australian Governments should be congratulated for recognising the game-changing nature of this project. So many businesses around the State will benefit from the realisation of this vision for Tasmania to be the battery of the nation, unlocking billions of dollars of investment and opportunity.

"While this announcement is the culmination of the hard work of many people around the country, it's just the beginning of the real work that will see the project become a reality. The Tasmanian business community stands ready to work with the Tasmanian and Australian Governments to see this project benefit as many people as possible."

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