

MEDIA RELEASE

## New Dingo Industrial emphasises safety and labour issues at Kalgoorlie's GME

**Dingo Industrial**, a new business unit of Dingo Australia, will focus on labour and safety issues relevant to mining and industrial applications on **Stand 4030** during the Goldfields Mining Expo (GME) at the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Racing Club from October 28-30, 2008.

The division has been established in recognition of the growing above-and-below ground presence of Dingo mini loaders at mine and mineral processing sites in Australia, South Africa, New Zealand and South East Asia.

It offers machinery and support that is a safe and productive alternative for hazardous cleanup work which is normally undertaken manually with a shovel in difficult-to-reach areas.

"We realise that mine sites, processing plants, power stations and other industrial sites have special safety considerations that are often tough on machinery so a standard landscaping machine just won't cut it," Dingo Industrial's Brendan McDonald said.

Dingo Industrial machines were well-suited to narrow access cleanup work, he said.

"They measure as little as 780 mm in width and Dingo Industrial offers a range of special attachments such as a debris puller that can rake underneath conveyors and other difficult-to-reach places.

"Where access is even more limited the claw can work at 90° to the Dingo to pull spillages clear.

"These can then be removed in the loader's bucket while, to finish the job off and to keep the dust down, a dust suppression system is now available for the Dingo broom," McDonald said.

More than 20 safety options are available. These include remote-controlled catalytic converters, work lights and rotating beacons, and emergency cut-off switches.

As well, Dingo Industrial machines can be fitted with solid wheels, tyre protection chains, narrow wheels and special wheel motor drive protection to enable them to work in deep slurry.

And for sites with high ambient temperatures, engine temperature cut-off switches and heavy duty hydraulic oil are available.

GME, which has been an important fixture on the Australian mining calendar for more than 20 years, is jointly owned and managed by Reed Exhibitions and the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Chamber of Commerce.

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