

PRESS RELEASE

New Fisia Italmimpianti/Webuild Contract

● Contract Value

● Paraguay

3 Water Treatment Plants

Paraguay

\$ **144** mln



FISIA ITALIMPIANTI (WEBUILD) WINS \$144 MLN WATER TREATMENT PROJECT FOR PULP MILL IN PARAGUAY

- *Webuild's subsidiary Fisia Italmimpianti will deliver three water plants for pulp mill near Concepción*
- *Project will enrich the business portfolio of Fisia Italmimpianti*
- *Fisia Italmimpianti strengthens Webuild's ranking as global leader in water sector in latest ENR survey*



Photo courtesy by Parcel SA

MILAN, October 18, 2022 – Webuild's subsidiary Fisia Italmimpianti has won a \$144-million (€144-million) contract to build three water treatment plants for a new pulp mill being developed in Paraguay, a contract that will diversify the business portfolio of a global leader in water treatment and desalination and reinforce its role as builder of projects that support sustainable development.

Commissioned by private client Parcel SA, Fisia Italmimpianti will build the plants near the Paraguay River near the city of Concepción, Paraguay. Work is expected to start in the first semester of 2023. The contract will reinforce Webuild's ranking as leader in the water sector by revenue among global contractors in the latest survey by influential U.S. magazine Engineering News-Record (ENR).

Fisia Italmimpianti, which owns 100% of the Engineering, Construction and Procurement (EPC) contract, will build a plant to treat water from the river at a capacity of 7,000 cubic metres per hour, a demineralization



water plant for 1,350 cubic metres per hour, and an effluent treatment plant with a capacity of 6,600 cubic metres per hour within the complex of the pulp mill.

Fisia Italimpianti is best known for its water treatment and desalination plants, which have come to serve more than 20 million people on a daily basis, especially in Middle East. Elsewhere in South America, it and its parent Webuild are involved in the construction of a hydraulic tunnel and a pre-treatment plant for wastewater in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Webuild, the new Group born in 2020 from Salini Impregilo, is a leading global player in the construction of large, complex projects for sustainable mobility (rail, metro, bridges, roads, ports), hydropower (dams, power plants), water (treatment and desalination plants, wastewater management, irrigation dams) and green buildings (civil and industrial buildings, airports, stadiums, hospitals). It supports clients in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) established by the United Nations. The Group ranks first in the world for the construction of infrastructure in the water sector. Since 2018, it is also among the top 10 companies by revenue generated from environmental services. Webuild is the expression of 116 years of engineering experience applied in 50 countries with 80,000 direct and indirect employees from more than 100 nationalities. Iconic projects, completed or under construction, include the M4 metro line in Milan, a section of Line 16 of the Grand Paris Express, Cityringen in Copenhagen, the viaduct and bridge for Sydney Metro Northwest in Australia, Red Line North Underground in Doha, Line 3 of Riyadh Metro and high-speed railways in Italy. Others include the Genova San Giorgio Bridge in Italy, the Long Beach International Gateway Bridge in Long Beach, California, the expansion of the Panama Canal, the Snowy 2.0 hydroelectric scheme in Australia, the Rogun hydroelectric dam in Tajikistan, the Anacostia River and Northeast Boundary hydraulic tunnels in Washington, D.C., and the Al Bayt 2022 World Cup stadium in Qatar. At June 30, 2022, the Group had a total order backlog amounting to more than €47 billion, with 90% of the construction backlog relating to projects linked to SDGs. Webuild, subject to direction and coordination by Salini Costruttori S.p.A., is headquartered in Italy and is listed on the Milan stock exchange (Borsa Italiana: WBD; Reuters: WBD.MI; Bloomberg: WBD:IM).

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