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Construction Africa and Middle East Platform

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"The platform is emerging from a protracted period of operational, market and leadership instability. It has adopted a simple three phase strategy.

Phase one entailed returning the platform to operational and leadership stability. **Phase two** will focus on a return to profitability through improved <u>operational delivery</u>, and **Phase three** will target improving margins through order book growth, coupled with sustained <u>operational excellence</u>."

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KEY PLATFORM ISSUES

Achievements

- Simplified operating structure and bedded down leadership team
- Returned to profitability in the first half of the financial year
- Full year performance on track to be in line with our expectations
- Successfully resolved various commercial issues
- New Award in Middle East (First in >2 years)
- Significant new projects awards in 2H14

Challenges

- 2 Fatalities recorded in 2014
- Improving operational delivery this financial year
- Difficult conditions for commercial resolution of some matters
- Volatile labour environment
- No new work secured (as yet) in targeted African countries outside SADC



















































CURRENT MARKET ENVIRONMENT









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CURRENT MARKET CONDITIONS

- Limited real increase in government spend
- Limited private investment
- Construction industry overcapacity in most geographies
- Africa is no panacea but pockets of opportunity exist
- Margins will continue to be under pressure
- Labour unrest impact a constant concern
- Despite this, we have secured some major project in H2 14:
 - Menlyn Park Shopping Centre upgrade circa ZAR 550 million
 - Century City Convention centre circa ZAR
 600 million
 - Road Upgrades best price/awards- circa
 ZAR 500 million
 - Road upgrade Clarifications circa ZAR 385 million



OUR CURRENT FOCUS



- Entrench and sustain our focus on Operational Excellence
- Pursue additional commercial resolutions
- Continue to build relationships with our clients based on:
 - Murray & Roberts Construction has experienced and proven management and delivery teams
 - Murray & Roberts Construction delivers (Ernst & Young, Sandton)
 - Murray & Roberts Construction sees
 projects through
 - Murray & Roberts Construction is a level 2
 BBBEE contributor

•Prepare for the future





FUTURE POTENTIAL (POST FY2015)





CURRENT MARKET POSITION & POTENTIAL OPTIONS POST 2015





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