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## Flick Anticimex grows its market share in Queensland through the acquisition of Coalfields Pest Control

Flick Anticimex continues its acquisition initiative in 2023 through the acquisition of Coalfields Pest Control. This acquisition strengthens the local operations in Central QLD, especially across the commercial service and mining sector.

Located in Emerald, QLD and operating in the Central Highlands area, Coalfields Pest Control is led by Monty & Alina Fitzgerald who have been running the business for over 12 years. During this time Monty & Alina have grown the business to be a brand name with a strong reputation in Central QLD, particularly amongst the Mining Industry.

Monty Fitzgerald, Director of Coalfields commented:

"We are excited for the opportunity to join Flick Anticimex as it represents great opportunities for us and our team. We would like to thank our past and present team, as we wouldn't have built our business to where it is today without them. It was important for us to join a company with the same passion and level of customer service. We look forward to offering our customers the latest innovative digital sustainable pest control solutions. I am very proud of the success that our business has achieved and look forward to the exciting opportunities ahead."

Dallas Hall, Regional General Manager - Queensland Region, Flick Anticimex commented:

"I am very happy and enthusiastic about this merger as Coalfields Pest Control is a renowned and wellrun business based in Emerald QLD. The relationships with customers formed by Monty & Alina Fitzgerald over many years have contributed to the success of Coalfields. We look forward to working together with the Coalfields team to continue a tradition of outstanding customer service and combining decades of experience with the latest technological innovations to deliver an even better customer experience."

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## About Flick Anticimex

*Flick is a strong established brand within the pest control industry in the Australian marketplace. Commencing operations in 1918 and we now have over 1,500 professional staff and service over 325,000 customer sites annually. We protect over 55,000 commercial sites and 200,000 residential customers from pests every year. We also keep our commercial customer's premises hygienically clean by servicing over 60,000 washrooms sites. Flick Anticimex is regarded as Australian No. 1 and one of New Zealand's Leading Pest Control and Hygiene companies.* 

Anticimex Group is the modern pest control company. Through prevention, new technology and sustainable solutions, we meet the new demands for healthy environments, for both individuals and businesses. Anticimex employs around 7,400 people, serving more than 3 million customers in 20 markets worldwide. Total revenue in 2020 amounted to approximately AUD 1.5 billion.

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