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"Australian Pacific Coal outlines Bowen Basin drill plans and company update"

AUSTRALIAN PACIFIC COAL LIMITED (ASX: AQC) has released a webcast with the following details:

- AQC outlines Bowen Basin drill plans and company update
- *Speaker:* Paul Byrne, Executive Director
- *Live date:* Tue, 22 May 2012 9:30am AEST

Access this webcast at www.brr.com.au/event/98159

Access other AQC webcasts at www.brr.com.au/asx/AQC

About Australian Pacific Coal

Australian Pacific Coal (AQC) is an emerging ASX coal explorer focused on the Bowen Basin, Queensland.

Through a series of acquisitions, AQC has positioned itself with both metallurgical and thermal coal projects potentially suited for underground and open cut mining.

The focus of AQC's operations is to value add the coal projects through evaluation of resource potential of the projects followed up with drilling as required to prove up the resource. Early stage drilling has commenced on selected projects.

Following on from the value add process, AQC's exploitation opportunities for individual coal projects include development of the project in its own right, farm-in, joint venture exploration, joint venture development or outright sale.

AQC's long term strategic focus is based on seeking out and identifying potentially lucrative resource investment opportunities.