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## Alliance Aviation Services Limited (ASX code: AQZ)

## Contract extension - St Barbara Limited

Alliance Aviation Services Limited ("Alliance") is pleased to announce that it has won a selective tender contract process that will see Alliance continue its provision of air charter services to St Barbara Limited's Leonora operations for a further three years.

St Barbara Limited is an Australian gold producer which has operations in the Leonora region in Western Australia. Alliance have been providing air charter services to St Barbara since 2012 and will continue to provide eight flights per week between Perth and Leonora.

The Chief Executive Officer for Alliance, Lee Schofield, said "that the flexibility of Alliance's fleet, together with industry leading on time performance greatly assisted Alliance in retaining this contract."

Mr Schofield continued, "The St Barbara contract is the fifth contract Alliance has retained in a selective tender process over the last 12 months. Alliance continues to maintain the highest retention rate of clients in the FIFO air charter sector – an achievement of which all the team at Alliance are very proud of in such a competitive market."

## About Alliance Airlines:

Alliance Aviation is Australasia's leading provider of contract, charter and allied aviation services currently employing in excess of 530 full time staff in Australasia and Europe.

The Company provides essential services to mining, energy, tourism and government sectors and holds IATA's IOSA certification and Flight Safety Foundation "BARS Gold" status, the first such carrier in Australia to be so recognised. In addition a wide range of specialised aviation services including wet leasing, airport management, aircraft trading, parts sales and engine leasing are provided in Australia and internationally.

The Australian business currently operates a fleet of 20 Fokker F100, 9 Fokker 70LR jet aircraft and five Fokker 50 turboprops with additional fleet units scheduled to enter service during the remainder of 2018.

Alliance has world leading operational performance, a key attribute sought by its customers.

The Company has operational bases in Brisbane, Townsville, Cairns, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, Darwin, Auckland and Bratislava.

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