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ALC WELCOMES ANNOUNCEMENT OF BRIAN KRUGER AS NEW TOLL MANAGING DIRECTOR

The Australian Logistics Council (ALC) welcomes today's announcement by Toll's board that Brian Kruger will become the company's new Managing Director on 1 January 2012.

"ALC looks forward to working with Mr Kruger on the transport and logistics regulatory reform and infrastructure agenda to create more efficient supply chains and a stronger economy," Mr Kilgariff said.

"Toll is a foundation member of ALC and a major contributor to our efforts to encourage governments to replace the often confusing, complex and inconsistent laws and regulations that apply in the transport and logistics industry.

"Mr Kruger's significant business experience will be a valuable asset to the transport and logistics industry, as we continue a dialogue with government about ensuring Australia enjoys the full benefits of a seamless supply chain."

Mr Kilgariff today also paid tribute to Toll's outgoing Managing Director Paul Little.

"Paul Little is undoubtedly one of the giants of the Australian transport & logistics industry, taking Toll from a relatively small Australian company to one of the world's major transport and logistics operators," he said.

"The numbers speak for themselves. The company began with 95 employees with turnover of \$16 million. Today, Toll has a workforce of 40,000 across 55 countries, with annual revenue of around \$8 billion.

"In recognition of his efforts to promote and support the development of Australia's transport and logistics industry, ALC awarded Paul Honorary Fellow Membership of ALC earlier this year.

"Today's announcement by Toll's board marks a significant milestone in the life of this iconic Australian company, and ALC looks forward to continuing to work with it in the years ahead."

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