

Link Group announces a two-year contract extension by AustralianSuper

16 December 2022: Link Group's Retirement and Superannuation Solutions business has extended its long-standing partnership with AustralianSuper by two years to 30 June 2025, under which it will continue to provide superannuation administration and customer engagement services to the Fund.

Link Group's partnership with AustralianSuper commenced in 2014. Over this period, AustralianSuper has become Australia's largest super fund, with almost 3 million members and more than A\$263 billion in members' assets as at 30 September 2022.

This two-year contract extension recognises the important role Link Group continues to play in supporting AustralianSuper's vision to be Australia's leading superannuation fund for members. The extension also includes limited amendments to enhance member experience, and commercial terms that reflect AustralianSuper's scale and growth.

Dee McGrath, CEO Retirement & Superannuation Solutions, Link Group said the extension would enable the partnership between the two organisations to continue to deliver excellent outcomes for AustralianSuper members and employers, drawing on Link Group's considerable and tangible experience and commitment to supporting AustralianSuper members over an extensive period.

"The Australian superannuation system is recognised as global best practice. The sector prides itself on its responsible stewardship of the retirement savings of all Australians, ensuring members achieve the best financial outcomes in their retirement, while also seeking to innovate and adapt to changing members' expectations. In challenging periods of volatile share market performance, fund consolidation, and the Federal Government's Early Release Program during the COVID pandemic, Link Group has played a critical and valuable role," said McGrath.

"We are proud to work alongside many of the largest superannuation funds, including AustralianSuper, as a strategic and trusted partner. We welcome the opportunity to continue demonstrating our deep industry knowledge and expertise. We look forward to continuing our partnership with AustralianSuper to deliver exceptional outcomes for members and employers."

Peter Curtis, Chief Operating Officer, AustralianSuper said the extension would ensure continuity of services for members.

"The Fund is pleased to confirm the extension of the contract, which will ensure service continuity for members and employers as we continue to review our member service model. Our focus is on member experience, as AustralianSuper builds strong foundations for our next phase of growth," said Curtis.

Link Group's Retirement & Superannuation Solutions division counts some of the nation's largest superannuation funds amongst its clients and combines its proprietary technology, scaled process efficiency and the exceptional skills of its people to deliver comprehensive solutions to funds across Australia and the UK.

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