

Media Release

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EP Grain Pty Ltd Appoints Grain Merchant

The new Eyre Peninsula grains joint venture, EP Grain, has named local identity, Mark Carr, as the company's Grain Merchant marking the first staff appointment for the venture.

EP Grain, a joint venture between leading independent grains marketing company, Emerald Group, and grower owned FREE Eyre Ltd, was announced in February to specifically address the needs of EP grain growers.

Mark Carr is a well known in the EP region having owned and been involved in a number of agricultural and aquaculture ventures over many years.

He was the owner of Carr Seeds between 1979 and 2000 and more recently worked as Regional Manager for CBH Ltd.

In making the announcement Mike Chaseling, Chairman of EP Grain, said Mr Carr's experience in the EP region reflects EP Grain's commitment to delivering the best service and experience to EP grain growers.

"Mark's entrepreneurial background and his recent work with South Australian grain growers makes him a natural fit for EP Grain.

We are committed to ensuring our products are suited to the needs of Eyre Peninsula grain growers" he said.

Mr Carr said his motivation for joining EP grain was the regional focus that the company has and his passion to provide innovative products to growers.

"I believe this region has been underserved for some time and the pioneering products being offered by EP Grain were a big factor in my decision to take on this role," he said.

Note: EP Grain Pty Ltd is a joint venture between The Emerald Group Pty Ltd and FREE Eyre Ltd which focuses on delivering grain marketing services to growers on South Australia's Eyre Peninsula.

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