OVERSEAS PASSENGER TERMINAL EXTENSION

CIRCULAR QUAY, SYDNEY





Key achievements

- Construction completed in Sydney's busiest water transport corridor while the terminal remained in operation with ships berthed alongside.
- Design and Construction of the wharf within 6 months demonstrating internal capability in engineering and construction excellence
- Stakeholder management operating adjacent to high-end hotels, restaurants in one of Australia's most iconic locations.

The project

60 metre extension of an existing wharf involving:

- Installation of a sheet pile wall (50 x Double AZ36 -700N sheets)
- Installation of 40 tubular piles up to 1200mm diameter
- Over 100 precast elements including headstocks and infill panels
- · Drilling 14 ground anchors through installed tubular piles
- Construction of 6m diameter x 3m deep circular mooring dolphin
- · 250 cubic metre insitu concrete deck pour
- Commercial diving works, concrete remediation, fender installations and electrical works

The challenge

Design and construction within a tight time frame in a high profile and constrained location with the majority of deliveries and work conducted over water.

The solution

- Utilisation of both land-based and marine based plant to expedite the program.
- Intricate co-ordination between work activities- piling, off-site precast concrete fabrication and installation, insitu concrete pours.
- Design management from in-house engineers to optimize constructability into design.

"The design and construct project was undertaken within a period of six months. The process was required to conform to strict Consent Conditions, limited available work space and to keep the facility operational. The project was completed to a high standard within budget and time, aided by innovative design and construction by Waterway Constructions." Tony Navaratne, Port Authority of NSW Principal's Representative

Application

Marine constructions

Technique

Driven piling
Precast and insitu concrete
Permanent anchors

Market

Infrastructure – Ports & Harbours

Client

Port Authority of NSW (formerly Sydney Ports Corporation)

Main contractor

Waterway Constructions

Contract Value

A\$14.6 million

Keller business unit (s)

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