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## **NEW MILL UNDERWAY**

Construction of the new rotary peel veneer mill being built in the Huon Valley is well underway. Vos Constructions has completed the footings for the portals to frame the extensive 10,000 m<sup>2</sup> approx. factory.

Four skilled local people have been engaged by Vos Constructions, to survey and set out the holding down bolts that connect the prefabricated portals to the footings.

Dr Sii, General Manager of Ta Ann Tasmania Pty Ltd, said that construction would be in progress for the next 6 months. “We have been lucky to have local, skilled people and also good weather. We all hope it continues until the building is fully enclosed. Once the building is completed in early 2007, we expect the rotary peel veneer mill to employ over 80 people and to operate 24 hrs a day over a five day week” said Dr Sii.

Ta Ann’s investment in the Huon Valley RPV is worth an estimated \$30 million.

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