

# ALFRED H KNIGHT

## ALFRED H KNIGHT AGREEMENT TO ACQUIRE ASMIN INDUSTRIAL LIMITADA

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Leading provider of inspection and testing services Alfred H Knight has reached an agreement to acquire the Chilean company ASMIN Industrial Limitada, a consulting company in metallurgical processes, with 19 years of experience in metallurgical, chemical, mineralogical laboratories and pilot plants.

The acquisition of ASMIN Industrial Limitada will expand the capabilities of Alfred H Knight (AHK), an independent, family-owned business spanning five generations. Operating in over 40 countries, with a global network of strategically placed offices and laboratories AHK enables global trade by providing independent inspection, analysis and consultancy services to the metals and minerals and solid fuels industries.

With its regional head office in Santiago, Alfred H Knight Internacional Limited Chile Limitada has been providing services at ports, field operations and warehouses, its dedicated sample preparation facilities and at its accredited laboratory in Antofagasta for over 40 years.

***“This is a great opportunity for customers to receive comprehensive support with other business areas in the mining, chemical and metallurgical services market.”*** Marco Becerra, Director General, ASMIN Industrial Limitada

Acquiring 100% of the ASMIN business allows AHK to further expand its capabilities to provide a full suite of services to the mining industry, increasing expertise as well as its footprint within South America.

***“This strategic acquisition is a milestone for us, it will allow AHK to develop a much stronger position in one of the world's key markets.”*** Philippe Maezelle, Chief Executive Officer, Alfred H Knight Group

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### NOTE TO EDITORS:

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