

## ASX RELEASE

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### Baúna FPSO operator transition completed

The formal transition of operatorship of the Floating Production, Storage and Offloading vessel, the Cidade de Itajaí (Baúna FPSO), from Altera & Ocyan (A&O) to Karoon took place on 27 May 2026 (BRT). This follows Karoon's acquisition of the FPSO from A&O on 30 April 2025<sup>1</sup>.

Transfer of operatorship occurred after an intensive period of internal Karoon capacity building, including staff recruitment, contract transfer and establishment of management systems and processes, and the receipt of Brazilian regulatory approvals.

Aligned with Karoon's strategy to maintain continuity of operational personnel, more than 80% of the existing FPSO team transferred to Karoon and its major maintenance contractor, Gran Services. The Transitional Services Agreement with A&O will expire on 1 June 2026, resulting in further optimisation of Karoon's operating costs.

#### Karoon's CEO and MD, Ms Carri Lockhart, said:

"2026 has been one of the busiest in Karoon's history, with more than 700 people engaged in delivering our strategic work scopes, including the FPSO operatorship transition, in a safe manner.

This transition of operatorship is a major milestone for Karoon and marks the evolution of the Company into a full-scope operator of offshore oil and gas production.

I would like to sincerely thank our staff and contractors who have worked tirelessly to prepare for, and achieve, this milestone. The FPSO operatorship is strategically important to Karoon, and we are committed to delivering a strong safety performance and reliable operations, which will create value from the Baúna Project well into the future."

This announcement was authorised for release by the CEO and Managing Director of Karoon Energy Limited.

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<sup>1</sup> See "Completion of Baúna (Cidade de Itajaí) FPSO acquisition" released to the ASX on 1 May 2025.

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