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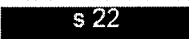
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John

 s 47C We understand that the Minister signed the agreement yesterday and proposes making an announcement on Friday. DIAC apparently consulted with the CFMEU, DRET, Treasury, DEEWR and some other relevant bodies. We understand the agreement provides that all visas are temporary, some concessions were granted and the company is required to commit to a training component of \$26m over 3 years including training of indigenous people and apprenticeships.

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Key Points:

1. The agreement with Roy Hill Holdings is the first EMA. It will provide access to 1,745 overseas workers for a project that is estimated to have capital expenditure of \$6.5 billion with a peak construction workforce of 4,500.

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