

# Lithium Power Intl. – Maricunga Lithium Brine Project Awarded Key Regulatory Export Licence



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## Highlights

- The Chilean Nuclear Energy Commission (CCHEN) has awarded a key regulatory export licence for the production and marketing of lithium from LPI's 50%-owned Minera Salar Blanco (MSB) joint venture for a period of 30 years.
- The approval permits the initial extraction quota of 88,885 metric tonnes of lithium metal contained in brine or 472,868 tonnes of lithium carbonate equivalent (LCE).
- The CCHEN can increase the approved extraction quota upon MSB advancing the deep drilling exploration program scheduled for 2018.
- The extraction quota may also be increased by improvements in efficiencies at the production facilities.

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