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DIRECTOR OF ADARA DEVELOPMENT (AUSTRALIA)

Andrea is a Director and Senior Advisor of Adara Advisors and Adara Partners. These businesses are a part of the Adara Group. Andrea was formally the Chief Operating Officer of the Adara Group for 7 years prior to moving to the role of Director.

The Adara Group has two quite different parts, but one united purpose – to support people in poverty. The first part is an international development organisation, made up of non-profit companies and trusts spanning many countries, called Adara Development. The second part is two Australia-based corporate advisory businesses, Adara Advisors and Adara Partners.

The Adara businesses are “for purpose” rather than for profit. Their sole objective is to fund Adara Development’s administration and emergency project costs. This allows 100% of all other donations received by Adara Development to go directly to project-related costs.

Adara is focussed on improving health and education for women, children and communities living in poverty. We are experts in maternal, infant and child health, and remote and rural community development. We reach tens of thousands of people living in poverty each year.

Before joining Adara, Andrea was a Director in the Corporate Tax Group at PricewaterhouseCoopers in Sydney. Andrea worked at PwC for nine years advising large companies on their corporate tax affairs, mainly focused on acquisition and divestment work and group re-organisation projects.

Andrea originally qualified as a lawyer in England, then as a chartered accountant in Scotland where she worked for PwC in both Glasgow and Edinburgh in the corporate tax division. Andrea has a Master’s degree in Law from Edinburgh University, is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants, Scotland and is a Chartered Tax Advisor.