



Sydney 30th November 2011: The board of Medical Australia Limited (ASX: MLA) is saddened to announce the passing of Chairman Tom Hartigan.

Mr Hartigan will be remembered for leaving a lasting impression on Medical Australia which under his stewardship has seen significant improvement in its performance.

The company expects to update shareholders on future board composition in the coming weeks.

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Medical Australia Limited (ASX : MLA) is a medical company engaged in the manufacture, distribution and sale of a broad range of medical devices used by healthcare facilities and critical care services in global markets. The Company is a leader in Intravenous (IV) Medication Delivery Systems, Surgical Irrigation, Suction and Oxygen Therapy, Safety Sharps Collection and Reuse Prevention and specialised Diagnostic and Laboratory Equipment. Our products are used in three broad areas of healthcare, Human Health; Biological Collection, Processing and Laboratory; and Animal Health.