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Hong Kong developer Golden Horse Holdings is now eyeing a Sydney golf course, hot off the heels of its \$380 million **purchase** of a Goodman **Group** asset in Sydney – one of the biggest **residential** single **site** deals in Australian history.

The head of the offshore **group**, Feng Di, is in due diligence to **buy** the Twin Creeks championship 18-hole golf course in western Sydney.

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Golden Horse, which has a local arm called GH Properties, already has a significant real **estate** business in Australia. Earlier in November it entered the Sydney market with the \$380 million **buy** of Ashmore **Estate**, a seven hectare **site** in Erskinville that could yield more than 1700 apartments.

The vendor, Goodman Group, is waiting until certain conditions are met until confirming the deal.

Colliers International's Michael Crombie brokered the **transaction** but declined to comment when contacted by The Australian Financial Review.

Golden Horse last year snapped up the Links Hope **Island** Golf Club on the Gold Coast from Queensland developer Consolidated Properties for about \$12 million with the aim of building a **hotel**. In January, it bought the Noosa Springs Golf Resort and housing development **site**. Golden Horse is also planning a 251 **apartment** tower in Brisbane.

Mr Feng also owns a 54-hole golf resort in Guangzhou in southern **China** called Guangzhou Dragon Lake Golf Club. The pricing of the Twin Creeks golf course, which is co-owned by AMP Capital, Marsim and Crownland Developments , is not known.

AMP confirmed the asset had been for sale but would not comment further on the transaction.

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