CLP Pledges HK$1 million Towards Snow Storm Relief Efforts in Mainland China

CLP has pledged HK$1 million to The Salvation Army to assist victims of the snow storms and severe weather conditions in the Chinese Mainland.

The fund represents a donation from the company and contributions from its employees in Hong Kong and around the region. In addition, CLP’s newly completed Fangchenggang Power Station in Guangxi Province and Anshun Power Station in Guizhou Province are each making a donation of RMB 100,000 to the local Red Cross and relief efforts.

All CLP’s Mainland operations have been working closely with the local governments in an effort to optimise electricity supplies. Our power plants in Guangdong and Guangxi have operated at normal capacity to help meet electricity supply needs, while the Anshun plant in Guizhou, where service was disrupted, is actively coordinating with local parties to resume service as soon as possible.

CLP has operated power facilities in the Mainland since 1994 and its portfolio includes more than 20 conventional and renewable energy power generation facilities.

"The extreme weather conditions are having a serious large scale impact on people in the Mainland, including southern China. We want to do what we can to try and assist to alleviate the situation.

"We hope that through our pledge as well as our electricity supply efforts we can show our support to the victims on the ground," said Mr Andrew Brandler, Chief Executive Officer of CLP Holdings Limited.

About CLP Group

CLP Holdings Limited, a company listed on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, is the holding company for the CLP Group, which is one of the largest investor-owned power businesses in Asia. Through CLP Power Hong Kong, it operates a vertically integrated electricity supply business in Hong Kong, and provides a highly reliable supply of electricity and excellent customer services to over 5.5 million people in its supply area. The CLP Group also invests in energy businesses outside Hong Kong. It is the largest external investor in the Chinese mainland electricity industry, and a leading international private sector power company in the Asia-Pacific region with an integrated energy business in Australia and interests in generating assets in India, Taiwan and Thailand.
Achieving its first renewable energy target in end 2007, three years ahead of schedule, CLP is committed to an interim target of having 20% of its generating capacity from non-carbon emitting sources by 2020, and is actively investing in renewable energy projects in China, Australia and India, focusing mainly on wind, small hydro and biomass.

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