CLP adds new features to reusable posting bag for Annual Report and Sustainability Report

CLP has enhanced the packaging and accessibility of its 2009 Annual Report and Sustainability Report, adding a number of new features that make the publications even more environmentally and user-friendly.

The new bag that used to post the 2009 Annual Report and Sustainability Report is made of soft fabric and doubles as a large carry bag. When not in use, it can be folded up to fit into a pocket for convenience. Already the first reusable posting bag for Annual Report in Hong Kong since its debut last year, the new version will provide another alternative for people who want to reduce their use of plastic bags.

"CLP prides itself on being a socially responsible company and is committed to supporting and promoting sustainability through various means. We pioneered the use of reusable bags for our annual report distribution as a way to raise the environmental standards of how corporations operate, in all areas of their business," said Mrs. April Chan, Company Secretary of CLP Holdings.

Over the past six years, the percentage of CLP’s some 20,000 shareholders opting for the electronic version of its annual reports has increased from 2% to 18%. This year, each registered shareholder who elects to receive both the Annual Report and Sustainability Report electronically will have $60 donated to the Society for the Welfare of the Autistic Persons (SWAP) by CLP on their behalf. The company also encourages shareholders to choose electronic payment of dividends, which nearly 60% currently use.

The Sustainability Report has been produced in both an interactive online version that can be downloaded from the company website, and a shorter, print version that is sent out with the Annual Report. Among the new enhancements are improved navigation and its new e-book design as a standalone report instead of a web-based version.

"Our Sustainability Report serves as a strong management tool to drive improvement, as well as communication with our stakeholders." Jeanne Ng, Director of Environmental Affairs of CLP Holdings said. "We believe transparency is a key element. Through publicly disclosing our targets, we commit
ourselves to do our best to meet them. We communicate our shortcomings as well as success, and we keep the language simple and straightforward to reach a wider audience."

For 2009, the Annual Report features a "Corporate Cycle" design to reflect CLP’s capabilities, strategy, relationships, assets, performance, outlook and process as well as its economic, social and environmental values. It is represented as a "closed loop" continuous cycle, meaning that it will continue to shape the Company’s strategy as it adapts its business to an ever-changing environment.

To view CLP’s 2009 Annual Report and Sustainability Report online, please go to www.clpgroup.com

About CLP
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 companies in Asia-Pacific. Through CLP Power Hong Kong, it operates a vertically integrated electricity supply business in Hong Kong, servicing over 5.5 million people in Kowloon and the New Territories.

Outside Hong Kong, CLP holds a diversified portfolio of power generation investments that includes gas, coal, renewables and nuclear in the Chinese Mainland, Australia, India and Southeast Asia.

CLP is listed in the Global Dow – a 150-stock index of the world’s leading blue-chips, the Dow Jones Sustainability Asia Pacific Index (DJSI Asia Pacific), and the Dow Jones Sustainability Asia Pacific 40 Index (DJSI Asia Pacific 40).

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