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CLIPPER WINDPOWER APPOINTS MICHAEL KEANE AS CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

Keane Brings Substantial Functional And Executive Leadership Experience Within The Manufacturing, Technology, And Information Technology Services Sectors

CARPINTERIA, CALIFORNIA – September 24, 2008 – Clipper Windpower Plc (“Clipper”), in a statement delivered to the London Stock Exchange’s Regulatory News Service on July 28, 2008, announced the appointment of Michael Keane as Chief Financial Officer and Senior Vice President, effective September 2, 2008.

“Michael brings to Clipper a substantial track record of both functional and executive leadership” said Douglas Pertz, President and Chief Executive Officer. “His financial expertise within the manufacturing, technology, and information technology (IT) services sectors, combined with his proven abilities with manufacturing-based, public companies will be invaluable as we continue to expand Clipper’s capability within the global wind energy sector.”

Prior to joining Clipper, Mr. Keane served as CFO for a number of publicly-listed companies over the past 12 years, including Western Atlas Inc., Unova, Inc., and Computer Sciences Corporation, a US\$16.5 billion global IT services company. His prior experience also includes positions with Litton Industries and Price Waterhouse. Mr. Keane holds a BS in accounting from Illinois State University, an MBA from the Anderson Graduate School of Management at UCLA, and is a Certified Public Accountant.

About Clipper Windpower

Clipper Windpower, www.clipperwind.com, is a rapidly growing company engaged in wind energy technology, turbine manufacturing, and wind project development. With offices in the USA (California, Colorado, Iowa and Maryland), Mexico, Denmark and the United Kingdom, and a ISO9001:2000 QMS Certified, 330,000 square foot manufacturing and assembly facility located in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, the company designs advanced wind turbines, manufactures its 2.5-MW Liberty wind turbine and actively develops wind power generating projects in the Americas and Europe. Clipper is a public company listed on the London Stock Exchange’s Alternative Investment Market (AIM). Clipper’s ticker symbol is CWP.

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