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MEDIA RELEASE

DALSWINTON WIND FARM POWERS FORWARD

REpower UK, the leading wind turbine manufacturer, has completed work at the newest wind farm in Dumfries and Galloway with the official handover of Dalswinton Wind Farm to Airtricity, part of Scottish and Southern Energy.

The news marks the official hand over of the operational wind farm consisting of 15 turbines with 80m-high towers, each with a generating capacity of 2 megawatts (MW) of electricity. Dalswinton has a total capacity of 30MW, enough power to supply the average needs of around 20,000 homes.

Henning von Barsewisch, Managing Director of REpower UK, commented;

“Dalswinton is a very significant project for REpower as it is our first onshore work with SSE and our biggest site in Scotland so far. The site had a number of challenges in terms of access and our team battled against some very adverse winter weather conditions. Dalswinton marks an important milestone in our work with Airtricity and contributes to the expansion work of REpower UK.”

REpower installed the MM82 turbine at Dalswinton, a turbine manufactured by REpower at their custom built, state of the art factory in Germany. The MM82 model has been specifically designed and optimised for use in regions of high wind speeds.

REpower has a 5-year maintenance contract with Scottish and Southern Energy to manage the Dalswinton site. It is one of a number of projects agreed between REpower and Scottish and Southern Electricity which will see the provision of 60 new turbines for wind farms in Scotland alone.

REpower Systems AG is one of the world's leading wind turbine manufacturers with offices in ten countries throughout the globe and

headquarters in Hamburg, Germany. REpower UK is one of the company's biggest subsidiaries and an expanding company with its head office in Edinburgh and service locations across Britain. The company is active in 21 wind farm locations across the country and is involved in a number of new sites currently in planning. ENDS

About REpower:

REpower Systems AG is one of the leading manufacturers of onshore and offshore wind turbines. The international engineering company develops, produces and sells wind turbines with outputs ranging from 2 to 5 megawatts and rotor diameters of 82 to 126 metres for almost all locations. It also provides a comprehensive service and maintenance range. The high performance, reliable turbines are designed at the REpower development centre in Rendsburg and produced at the sites in Husum (North Frisia) and Trampe (Brandenburg).

Listed on the stock exchange since March 2002 and with more than 1,300 employees worldwide, the Hamburg-based company relies on its experience in the production and installation of almost 2,000 wind turbines. REpower is represented in European markets such as France, the United Kingdom, Italy, Portugal and Spain and in the international markets of the US, Japan, China and Australia through its sales partners, subsidiaries and investments.

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