

25 May 2017

ClearStar, Inc.

("ClearStar" or the "Company")

PDMR Shareholding

ClearStar (AIM: CLSU and CLST), the technology and service provider to the background check industry, announces that on 24 May 2017, Nicolas Dufour, EVP and General Counsel, and a PDMR of the Company, purchased 50,000 ordinary shares of \$0.0001 in the Company ("Ordinary Shares") at a price of 34.5 pence per Ordinary Share. Following this transaction Mr Dufour holds 50,000 Ordinary Shares, representing approximately 0.14% of the issued share capital of the Company.

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About ClearStar

ClearStar, Inc. is a leading and trusted background check technology, strategic services, and decision-making information provider to employers and background screening companies.

A seven-time Inc. 5000 honouree and founding member of the National Association of Professional Background Screeners, ClearStar has provided innovative technology solutions to businesses in the human capital management industry from its corporate offices in Alpharetta, Georgia since 1995. For more information about ClearStar, please visit: www.clearstar.net.

The information communicated in this announcement contains inside information for the purposes of Article 7 of the Market Abuse Regulation (EU) No. 596/2014.

Notification and public disclosure of transactions by persons discharging managerial responsibilities and persons closely associated with them

1.	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated		
a)	Name	Nicolaus Dufour – EVP, General Counsel	
2.	Reason for the Notification		
a)	Position/status	See 1(a) above –classified as a PDMR of the Company	
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification	
3.	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor		
a)	Name	ClearStar, Inc.	
b)	LEI	n/a	
4.	Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted		
a)	Description of the Financial instrument, type of instrument	Ordinary shares of US\$0.0001 (“Ordinary Shares”)	
	Identification code	KYG2294M1050	
b)	Nature of the transaction	Purchase of Ordinary Shares	
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		34.5 pence	50,000
d)	Aggregated information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aggregated volume • Price 	See (c) above	
e)	Date of the transaction	24 May 2017	
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange, AIM Market (XLON)	