

22 May 2018

**ClearStar, Inc.**  
**("ClearStar" or the "Company")**

**PDMR Share Purchase**

ClearStar (AIM: CLSU), the technology and service provider to the background check industry, announces that Andy Hellman, Managing Director, International & Strategic Initiatives, and a PDMR of the Company, today purchased 24,000 ordinary shares of \$0.0001 in the Company ("Ordinary Shares") at a price of 53 pence per Ordinary Share. Following this purchase, Mr. Hellman holds 94,000 Ordinary Shares, representing approximately 0.26% of the issued share capital of the Company.

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**About ClearStar**

ClearStar, Inc. is a leading and trusted background check technology, medical screening, 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](http://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
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a)	Name	Andy Hellman – Managing Director, International & Strategic Initiatives	
<b>2.</b>	<b>Reason for the Notification</b>		
a)	Position/status	See 1(a) above –classified as a PDMR of the Company	
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification	
<b>3.</b>	<b>Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor</b>		
a)	Name	ClearStar, Inc.	
b)	LEI	213800C2DK3HCM3R9T19	
<b>4.</b>	<b>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</b>		
a)	Description of the Financial instrument, type of instrument	Ordinary shares of US\$0.0001 (“Ordinary Shares”)	
	Identification code	KYG2294M1134	
b)	Nature of the transaction	Purchase of Ordinary Shares	
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		53 pence	24,000
d)	Aggregated information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aggregated volume</li> <li>• Price</li> </ul>	See (c) above	
e)	Date of the transaction	22 May 2018	
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange, AIM Market (XLON)	