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Power Climber Wind Provides 360° BAP Solution to Renewable Advise



SEATTLE/BRUSSELS — Power Climber Wind, a division of SafeWorks, LLC, installed their CE-compliant 360° blade access platform (BAP) at the Longhill Wind Farm located in March, UK for Renewable Advise Ltd., the blade and tower composite specialists.

“The simple, stable, modular design of the BAP made it easier to store and carry the tools required for blade repair work,” said Benn Faulkner, Director of Renewable Advise. “This simply would not have been possible without a suspended access platform. Our crew was able to work at height safely and efficiently for several hours at a time without descending back to ground level.”

This modular platform is a truly universal turbine access solution that eliminates complex powered controls and expensive mobilization. Its solid connection to the tower and ability to easily reposition provide a stable working deck without requiring counterweights, improving workers’ confidence and productivity. Its small footprint makes it easy to transport using standard work trucks.

“Wind farm owners and service providers face access challenges worldwide. Mobilizing the equipment easily on a remote site was one of many problems Renewable Advise had to resolve,” said Ruben Bake, Vice President of Power Climber Wind. “The modular design made it possible to fit the BAP on the back of a trailer easily without having to worry about an excessive bearing load on the road. The unique engineering of the 360° BAP solves the common problems of blade and tower access, providing a proven, practical, safe and cost-effective solution for critical wind access work.”

To view the 360° blade access product animation click here

<http://www.powerclimberwind.com/360%20BAP%20Overview.aspx>

Visit booth # 3A-04 at HUSUM to see the 360° BAP.

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About Power Climber Wind

Power Climber Wind helps major wind turbine OEMs, owners and service providers manage their operation and maintenance costs by providing the most reliable access equipment and expertise to improve employee safety, productivity and retention. The world leader in suspended access with 65 years experience putting people to work at elevation with motorized solutions, Power Climber Wind provides turbine service lifts, IBEX® climb assist, tower access platforms, blade access solutions, safety equipment and training globally. Our commitment to performing productively at elevation drives simple, smart product and hands-on training solutions to drive lower total cost of ownership and make our customers’ work a reliable, confident experience. For further information contact Power Climber Wind at +1-206-394-5306 or visit www.powerclimberwind.com

About Renewable Advise

Renewable Advise was established in 2008 to provide independent and impartial blade advice to the wind industry. Founded by Benn Faulkner, a Mechanical and Aeronautics Engineer. Their growing team includes specialists with a wide range of skills, knowledge and experience in material processing methods and blade technologies. They are on and off-shore qualified composite professionals as well as turbine climbing, IRATA rope access and confined space trained, providing flexibility to deliver on-site hands-on implementation. For more information, visit www.renewableadvise.com