



BROMPTON FUNDS DECLARE DISTRIBUTIONS

Toronto, December 17, 2008 (TSX: AOG.UN, AV.UN, BE, FAC.UN, FFI.UN, OGF.UN, VIP.UN, YTU.UN) – Brompton Funds announces distributions payable on January 15, 2009 to unitholders of record at the close of business on December 31, 2008 for each of the following funds.

<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Ticker</u>	<u>Amount Per Unit</u>
Brompton Advantaged Oil & Gas Income Fund	AOG.UN	\$ 0.06
Brompton Advantaged VIP Income Fund	AV.UN	\$ 0.096
Brompton Equity Split Corp.	BE	\$ 0.10
Flaherty & Crumrine Investment Grade Preferred Fund	FAC.UN	\$ 0.125
Flaherty & Crumrine Investment Grade Fixed Income Fund	FFI.UN	\$ 0.125
Brompton Oil & Gas Income Fund	OGF.UN	\$ 0.07
Brompton VIP Income Fund	VIP.UN	\$ 0.10
YEARS Financial Trust	YTU.UN	\$ 0.1333

For additional information concerning the funds, please visit our website at www.bromptongroup.com.

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Commissions, trailing commissions, management fees and expenses all may be associated with investment funds. Please read the fund's publicly filed documents which are available from SEDAR at www.sedar.com. Investment funds are not guaranteed, their values change frequently and past performance may not be repeated.