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Satellos Announces Formation of Clinical Advisory Board to Support Advancing SAT-3247 in Clinical Trial Development for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy

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Satellos expects to begin first-in-human clinical trials mid-year for SAT-3247, an oral small molecule drug candidate in development as a novel regenerative medicine approach to treating DMD

TORONTO--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- **Satellos Bioscience Inc.** ("Satellos" or the "Company") (TSX: MSCL, OTCQB: MSCLF), a public biotech company developing new small molecule therapeutic approaches to improve the treatment of muscle diseases and disorders, announced today the formation of a Clinical Advisory Board comprised of distinguished clinical research leaders and experts in drug development in genetic muscle disorders, including Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD or Duchenne).

"The formation of this Clinical Advisory Board marks a major development step for Satellos as we continue our evolution in becoming a clinical stage drug development company," said Frank Gleeson, Co-founder and CEO of Satellos. "We are proud and excited to bring together leading clinicians and scientists from across the world who are dedicated to, and have decades of experience in, the clinical development of novel therapeutics for degenerative muscle disorders. We believe this will help support Satellos in advancing our lead drug candidate, SAT-3247, as we work to optimize its potential to transform the treatment of Duchenne and serious muscle diseases."

The members of the Clinical Advisory Board (CAB) are as follows:

Jordan Dubow, M.D., Chair of the CAB and Chief Medical Advisor, Satellos, has extensive experience in the biopharmaceutical industry, leading all aspects of clinical and regulatory development in Chief Medical Officer (CMO) capacities for both public and private companies, playing pivotal roles on 16 new drug applications (NDAs),

including in DMD.

Ronald Cohn, M.D., Ph.D., President and CEO, Hospital for Sick Children, is an outstanding clinician scientist devoted to discovering new diagnostic and treatment options for pediatric disease and an accomplished scientist dedicated to muscular dystrophies. Research in his laboratory focuses on utilizing genome editing technologies like CRISPR for the development of therapeutic approaches for neurogenetic disorders.

Richard Finkel, M.D., Director, Center for Experimental Neurotherapeutics, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, is an experienced translational researcher and international leader in organizing key clinical trials for neuromuscular diseases, including DMD and spinal muscular atrophy, for which he played a vital role in developing the first successful therapy.

Nicholas Johnson, M.D., MSCI, FAAN, Director of the Center for Inherited Myology Research, George Bliley Research Chair, and Professor and Vice Chair of Research in Neurology, conducts therapeutic trials in inherited nerve and muscle disorders and also dedicates significant time to laboratory research as part of a team at VCU Health working to advance the treatment of genetic muscle disorders, with a special emphasis on muscular dystrophies.

Hanns Lochmüller, M.D., Ph.D., Senior Scientist, Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario Research Institute, is a neurologist and clinical academic focused on clinical research and care of patients with rare genetic neuromuscular disorders. His research includes molecular therapies of neuromuscular disorders and molecular pathogenesis of muscle and neuromuscular junction disorders.

Francesco Muntoni, M.D., Director, Dubowitz Neuromuscular Centre, Great Ormond Street UCL Institute of Child Health, is focused on advancing novel therapeutics in translational and clinical research for pediatric neuromuscular disorders, especially Duchenne muscular dystrophy. His efforts in the last 20 years led to two FDA-approved therapies for DMD (eteplirsen and golodirsen).

Perry Shieh, M.D., Ph.D., FAAN, Professor of Neurology, UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine. Dr. Shieh's principal clinical interests include Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD), facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy (FSHD), and myotonic dystrophy. He has served as an investigator in numerous clinical trials for neuromuscular conditions.

For full bios, visit www.satellos.com/about.

About SAT-3247

SAT-3247 is an oral small molecule drug designed to target the root cause of muscle loss in degenerative diseases initially in Duchenne. SAT-3247 presents a novel mechanism of action to restore impaired muscle regeneration caused by the absence of functional dystrophin.

About Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy

Duchenne muscular dystrophy is an inherited disease caused by mutations in the dystrophin gene that no longer allow the dystrophin protein to function properly. Consequently, as discovered by Satellos, muscle repair and regeneration is impaired. Satellos designed SAT-3247 to restore the process of muscle repair and regeneration by regulating a dystrophin-independent pathway with the goal of increasing muscle function. SAT-3247 is intended to work as a standalone therapeutic without regard to a patient's genetic mutation or ambulatory status. Our approach has the potential to complement approaches designed to restore dystrophin production.

About Satellos Bioscience Inc.

Satellos is a publicly traded biotechnology company dedicated to developing life-improving medicines to treat degenerative muscle diseases. Satellos has incorporated breakthrough research in muscle stem cell polarity into a proprietary discovery platform, called MyoReGenX™, to identify degenerative muscle diseases where deficits in this process affect muscle regeneration and are amenable to therapeutic intervention. With this platform, Satellos is building a pipeline of novel therapeutics to correct muscle stem cell polarity and promote the body's innate muscle repair and regeneration process. The Company's lead program is an oral, small molecule drug candidate in development as a potential disease-modifying treatment for Duchenne muscular dystrophy. Satellos is headquartered in Toronto, Ontario. For more information, visit www.satellos.com.

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