



PRESS RELEASE

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Devonian Health Group Announces the refinancing of the loan on its pharmaceutical facility

- **New favourable terms provide liquidity of more than \$600,000 annually to be applied to corporate growth strategy**

QUEBEC, January 23rd, 2019 – Devonian Health Group Inc. (“**Devonian**” or the “**Corporation**”) (TSXV: GSD), a clinical stage botanical pharmaceutical corporation focused on developing a unique portfolio of botanical prescription drugs and cosmeceutical products, today announced that it has refinanced the existing loan on its pharmaceutical facility. The loan from Investment Quebec (IQ) was terminated and replaced by one with a Private Group of Lenders (“**PGL**”). As of January 17, 2019, the residual on the IQ loan was \$2,824,883. PGL has agreed to a loan of \$3,000,000. In addition, PGL has amended the Loan terms as follows:

- Term of 5 years
- PGL waives the monthly principal payments;
- PGL waives Devonian’s obligation to pay 5 % or 10% of equity raise through financing to offset the loan.

“We welcome this group of investors as a new financial partner in supporting Devonian ‘strategic objectives. We believe this new partnership provides additional validation and credibility to the Corporation as a whole. In the short term, this new agreement releases funds of more than \$ 600,000 annually that can be applied to the Corporate growth strategy activities. We look forward to working with this group and building upon our business relationship.” says Devonian’s President & CEO, Dr. Andre P. Boulet.

About Devonian

Devonian Health Group Inc. is a late stage botanical pharmaceutical corporation with novel therapeutic approaches to targeting unmet medical needs. Devonian's core strategy is to develop prescription botanical drugs from plant materials and algae for the treatment of inflammatory-autoimmune diseases including but not limited to ulcerative colitis and atopic dermatitis. Based on a foundation of over 15 years of research, Devonian’s focus is further supported by a US-FDA set of regulatory guidelines favouring a more efficient drug development pathway for prescription botanical drug products over those of traditional prescription



medicines. Devonian is also involved in the development of high-value cosmeceutical products leveraging the same proprietary approach employed with their pharmaceutical offerings. Devonian Health Group Inc. was incorporated in 2013 and is headquartered in Québec, Canada where it owns a state-of-the-art extraction facility with full traceability ‘from the seed to the pill’. Acquired in 2018, Altius Healthcare Inc., its commercialization partner, brings opportunities for further diversification and growth potential. Devonian is traded publicly on the TSXV Exchange (TSXv:GSD).

For more information, visit www.groupe-devonian.com.

Forward Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements about Devonian’s objectives, strategies and businesses that involve risks and uncertainties. These statements are “forward-looking” because they are based on our current expectations about the markets we operate in and on various estimates and assumptions. Actual events or results may differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements if known or unknown risks affect our business, or if our estimates or assumptions turn out to be inaccurate. Such risks and assumptions include, but are not limited to, Devonian’s ability to develop, manufacture, and successfully commercialize value-added pharmaceutical and dermo-cosmeceutical products, the availability of funds and resources to pursue R&D projects, the successful and timely completion of clinical studies, the ability of Devonian to take advantage of business opportunities in the pharmaceutical and dermo-cosmeceutical industries, uncertainties related to the regulatory process and general changes in economic conditions. You will find a more detailed assessment of the risks that could cause actual events or results to materially differ from our current expectations in Devonian’s prospectus dated April 21st, 2017 under the heading “Risk Factors” related to Devonian’s business. As a result, we cannot guarantee that any forward-looking statement will materialize. We assume no obligation to update any forward-looking statement even if new information becomes available, as a result of future events or for any other reason, unless required by applicable securities laws and regulations.

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