



Retrophin Announces Public Offering of Common Stock

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NEW YORK--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Retrophin, Inc. (OTCQB:RTRX) today announced that it has commenced an offering to sell \$40,000,000 of shares of its common stock in a proposed underwritten public offering. The offering is subject to market and other conditions, and there can be no assurance as to whether or when the offering may be completed, or as to the actual size or terms of the offering.

Retrophin expects to use the net proceeds of the offering to obtain regulatory approval for the reintroduction of Syntocinon into the US market for aiding milk letdown, to initiate clinical trials of Retrophin's product candidates, including Syntocinon for the treatment of Schizophrenia and Autism Spectrum Disorders, RE-034 for the treatment of Infantile Spasms and Nephrotic Syndrome, RE-024 for the treatment of Pantothenate Kinase Associated Neurodegeneration, and sparsentan for the treatment of Focal Segmental Glomerulosclerosis. Any remaining net proceeds will be used for the further advancement of Retrophin's early stage development programs, for further product development and for general corporate purposes.

Jefferies LLC is acting as sole book-running manager for the offering. Roth Capital Partners, Ladenburg Thalmann & Co. Inc. and Summer Street Research Partners are acting as co-managers.

A registration statement, as amended, relating to these securities has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") but has not yet become effective. These securities may not be sold nor may offers to buy be accepted prior to the time that the registration statement becomes effective. This press release shall not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy these securities, nor shall there be any sale of these securities in any state or jurisdiction in which such offer, solicitation, or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such state or jurisdiction. A copy of the registration statement, as amended, can be accessed through the SEC's website at www.sec.gov.

Copies of the preliminary prospectus may be obtained by sending a request to: Jefferies LLC, Attention: Equity Syndicate Prospectus Department, 520 Madison Avenue, 12th Floor, New York, NY, 10022, by telephone at 877-547-6340 or by email at Prospectus_Department@Jefferies.com.

About Retrophin

Retrophin is a pharmaceutical company focused on the development, acquisition and commercialization of drugs for the treatment of serious, catastrophic or rare diseases for which there are currently no viable options for patients. The Company's pipeline includes compounds for several catastrophic diseases, including Focal Segmental Glomerulosclerosis (FSGS), Pantothenate Kinase-Associated Neurodegeneration (PKAN), Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy and others.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" as that term is defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, regarding the research, development and commercialization of pharmaceutical products. Without limiting the foregoing, these statements are often identified by the words "may", "might", "believes", "thinks", "anticipates", "plans", "expects", "intends" or similar expressions. In addition, expressions of our strategies, intentions or plans are also forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements are based on current expectations and involve inherent risks and uncertainties, including factors that could delay, divert or change any of them, and could cause actual outcomes and results to differ materially from current expectations. No forward-looking statement can be guaranteed. Forward-looking statements in the press release should be evaluated together with the many uncertainties that affect the Company's business. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements as there are important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in forward-looking statements, many of which are beyond our control. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise. Investors are referred to the full discussion of risks and uncertainties as included in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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