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Diamond Equity Research Initiates Coverage on SOBR Safe, Inc. (NASDAQ: SOBR)

NEW YORK, Dec. 13, 2022 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Diamond Equity Research, a leading equity research firm with a focus on small capitalization public companies has initiated coverage of SOBR Safe, Inc. ("SOBRsafe"). The in-depth 18-page initiation report includes detailed information on SOBRsafe's business model, services, industry, valuation, management, and risks.

The full research report is available [here](#). Highlights from the report include:

- **Disruptive Technology with Applications Across Multiple Industries-** The company's SOBRcheck™ and SOBRsure™ products are equipped with its disruptive and award-winning SOBRsafe™ technology. The first-to-market monitoring technology holds the potential to meet an unattended need for an effective preventative solution as a passive, high-volume, uniform alcohol detection. Excessive alcohol use accrues a \$249 billion economic cost, with over 70% of the cost being attributed to lost workplace productivity. SOBRcheck™ provides a faster and more hygienic (touch-based) alternative to widely used breathalyzers and is also a much-better product market fit for high-value niche opportunities that include workplace, fleet management, and judicial system. SOBRsure™ is a continuous transdermal alcohol monitoring device created with the aim of helping prevent underage drinking and driving. Both these products being applied to multiple markets in need of reliable safety solutions represents a \$15 billion-plus market opportunity.
- **Solutions to Benefit Multiple Stakeholders-** Excessive alcohol use has been costing businesses and employers in the form of high employee turnover, low workplace productivity, employee injuries, and fatalities. An estimated 50% of all workers' compensation claims are related to substance abuse. Wide adoption of the SOBRcheck™ has the potential to significantly reduce the incidence of alcohol-related incidents, benefiting the employee, employer, and insurance companies. The company has successfully demonstrated the technology's use case gaining support from multiple employers, DUI probation agencies, and insurers. The company is in talks with multiple insurance carriers to secure discounts upon integration of SOBRsafe™ solutions, thus making the technology cost-neutral for its clients.
- **Established Efficient Supply Chain and Growing Demand Side Channel-** The company has adopted an asset-light model by partnering with leading industry players for manufacturing and customer service. BGM Electronic Services Inc. is the company's product realization partner ensuring efficient supply chain functions, from

product design to manufacturing and testing. The company has also partnered with HELM Inc. to provide a slew of post-manufacturing services, from packaging and fulfillment to onboarding and customer service solutions. These partnerships support the company's growing customer portfolio in multiple market segments. The company has entered into SaaS agreements with five companies for SOBRcheck™ and two companies for SOBRsure™. Additionally, the company has also collaborated with four national distributors and signed reseller agreements to accelerate its growth.

- **Ensuring Recurring Revenues through a SaaS-based Business Model-** The company's revenue model ensures a recurring stream of revenue based on the number of employees or users using the alcohol detection device. The per-unit cost of SOBRcheck™ and SOBRsure™ is \$500 and \$450, respectively, and the per-user monthly cost is \$30 for both devices. The subscription model ensures a steady flow of revenue with low customer acquisition costs compared to one-time breathalyzer purchases. The benefits of insurance incentives and liability reduction, in addition to continuous customer engagement, can potentially reduce churn and ensure higher customer retention.
- **Valuation** – We have valued the company using DCF as our preferred methodology. Our valuation model incorporates the company's commercialized products, SOBRcheck™ and SOBRsure™. Our valuation methodology yielded a value of \$73.86 million or \$5.07 per share, contingent on successful execution by the company.

About SOBRsafe

SOBRsafe is a developer of the patented non-invasive alcohol detection system SOBRcheck™ and SOBRsure™. These are potentially disruptive solutions with anticipated applications in workplaces, school buses, commercial fleets, facility access control, and more.

For more information, visit <https://sobrsafe.com/>

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