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ProMIS Neurosciences, Inc. Announces Leadership Transition

Appoints Neil Warma, Industry Leader and ProMIS Board Member, as Interim Chief Executive Officer

CAMBRIDGE, Massachusetts and TORONTO, Ontario, Jan. 03, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- ProMIS Neurosciences Inc. (Nasdaq: PMN), a biotechnology company focused on the generation and development of antibody therapeutics targeting toxic misfolded proteins in neurodegenerative diseases such as Alzheimer's disease (AD), amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) and multiple system atrophy (MSA), today announced a strategic leadership change. The Company's Board of Directors appointed Neil Warma, a highly-qualified biotechnology industry executive and ProMIS Board member, as interim Chief Executive Officer to succeed Gail Farfel, Ph.D., who has stepped down to pursue other opportunities. Mr. Warma's appointment is expected to provide a seamless transition as the Company remains focused on advancing the ongoing clinical program for PMN310 in Alzheimer's disease and forging strategic partnerships to accelerate ProMIS' broad potential for groundbreaking drug development.

"On behalf of the Board, I am thrilled to welcome Neil as our interim CEO. His leadership and his neuroscience background, combined with a profound understanding of our mission in novel drug development, positions the Company well for growth during this transition period," said Gene Williams, Chairman of the Board of ProMIS. "Under Neil's guidance, we are confident in our ability to advance our ongoing clinical program and foster partnerships that will drive innovation in dementias and other neurodegenerative disease treatments. He has a strong business development background having negotiated several deals with large pharmaceutical companies, which will also be a focus of the Company going forward."

"We thank Dr. Farfel for her contributions and leadership during her tenure at ProMIS and wish her continued success in her endeavors," added Mr. Williams.

Mr. Warma expressed enthusiasm about the opportunity, stating, "I am pleased to take on the interim CEO role for ProMIS at this exciting time in the Company's development. Our focus on leveraging artificial intelligence to selectively identify and target misfolded proteins represents a pioneering approach in drug development. The potential of the ProMIS platform is unmatched across multiple indications and our plan is to leverage this unique opportunity."

"I look forward to working with our very talented team and remain committed to advancing our ongoing clinical program with PMN310, building our broad portfolio for the treatment and prevention of dementias, and driving strategic partnerships that will propel us closer to our goal of transforming lives through innovative new treatments," concluded Mr. Warma.

Mr. Warma brings a wealth of industry knowledge and a passion for innovation, having

served as an independent Director on ProMIS' Board since 2022. He has a proven track record of successfully leading and building biotech companies as a founder and executive leader. He has considerable experience advancing products through the various stages of drug development from preclinical to commercialization. Mr. Warma has held senior leadership positions at several biotech and pharma companies, including Novartis, Opexa Therapeutics and I-Mab BioPharma, Inc. Most recently, he served as the CEO of Genexine, Inc. a South Korean-based biotech company, where he led the successful approval of the Company's first commercial product.

Mr. Warma holds an M.B.A. from the Schulich School of Business at York University and an H.B.Sc. in Neuroscience from the University of Toronto - University of Trinity College.

About ProMIS Neurosciences Inc.

ProMIS Neurosciences Inc. is a clinical stage biotechnology company focused on generating and developing antibody therapeutics selectively targeting toxic misfolded proteins in neurodegenerative diseases such as Alzheimer's disease (AD), amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) and multiple system atrophy (MSA). The Company's proprietary target discovery engine applies a thermodynamic, computational discovery platform - ProMIS™ and Collective Coordinates - to predict novel targets known as Disease Specific Epitopes on the molecular surface of misfolded proteins. Using this unique approach, the Company is developing novel antibody therapeutics for AD, ALS and MSA.

Forward-Looking Statements

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results to differ materially from those indicated in the forward-looking information include, among others, the factors discussed throughout the “Risk Factors” section of the Company's most recently filed annual information form available on www.SEDAR.com, in Item 1A of its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2022 and the section entitled “Risk Factors” in its Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-1, filed March 17, 2023, each as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and subsequent quarterly reports. Except as required by applicable securities laws, the Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking information, whether written or oral, that may be made from time to time, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise.

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