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Sonoma Pharmaceuticals Names Marc Umscheid Chief Operating Officer

PETALUMA, Calif., May 08, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Sonoma Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Nasdaq:SNOA), a specialty pharmaceutical company that develops and markets unique and effective dermatological solutions, announced today that Marc Umscheid has been promoted to chief operating officer effective immediately.

“Since joining Sonoma in January of last year after a 17-year career at the Clorox Company, Marc has added significant value to our strategic thinking, brand-building, innovation and digital marketing efforts,” says Jim Schutz, CEO. “We look forward to Marc taking on an expanded role while helping us grow profitably.”

Umscheid is a graduate of Cornell University, where he received both a BS in business management/finance and an MBA from the Johnson Graduate School of Management.

About Sonoma Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Sonoma is a specialty pharmaceutical company that develops and markets unique and effective solutions for the treatment of dermatological conditions and advanced tissue care. The company’s products, sold throughout the United States and internationally, have improved outcomes for more than five million patients globally by reducing infections, itch, pain, scarring and harmful inflammatory responses. The company’s headquarters are in Petaluma, California, with manufacturing operations in the United States and Latin America. European marketing and sales are headquartered in Roermond, Netherlands. More information can be found at www.sonomapharma.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

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