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PureCycle Technologies responds to report from short-selling firm

ORLANDO, Fla., May 6, 2021 /PRNewswire/ -- PureCycle Technologies, Inc. ("PureCycle" or "the Company") (NASDAQ: PCT), a company focused on polypropylene recycling, commented on a short seller report published today, May 6, 2021, by Hindenburg Research, that, by its own admission, stands to profit from any decline in the Company's stock price, whether driven by its report or otherwise:



We remain confident in our people, our technology, and our long term growth strategy. We believe today's report from a short selling firm is primarily designed to drive down the stock price in order to serve the short seller's economic interests. We believe PureCycle is well-positioned to continue executing on its strategy to drive long term growth and enhanced value for shareholders.

About PureCycle Technologies

PureCycle Technologies LLC, a Company subsidiary, holds a global license to commercialize the only patented solvent-based purification recycling technology, developed by The Procter & Gamble Company (P&G) for restoring waste polypropylene (PP) into virgin-like resin. The proprietary process removes color, odor and other contaminants from recycled feedstock resulting in virgin-like polypropylene suitable for any PP market. To learn more, visit purecycletech.com

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