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Algernon Pharmaceuticals Begins Trading on The CSE Under The Symbol AGN

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Feb. 19, 2019 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Algernon Pharmaceuticals Inc. (the “**Company**” or “**Algernon**”) a clinical stage pharmaceutical development company is pleased to announce that it will begin trading today on the CSE under the symbol AGN, and under the symbol AGW on the Frankfurt exchange. The Algernon OTCQB exchange symbol will be announced shortly.

The Company’s new website can be found at www.algernonpharmaceuticals.com.

“We are very pleased to have now completed this key step in our corporate rebranding”, said Christopher J. Moreau, CEO of Algernon Pharmaceuticals Inc. “The Company continues to drive forward on its plan to move a number of its lead compounds into phase II clinical trials.”

About Algernon Pharmaceuticals Inc.

Algernon Pharmaceuticals is a clinical stage pharmaceutical development company focused on advancing its lead compounds for of non-alcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH), chronic kidney disease (CKD) and inflammatory bowel disease (IBD).

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