



Mehrzuteilungsoption (Greenshoe) von Cosmo Pharmaceuticals S.p.A. vollständig ausgeübt

Lainate, Italien – 15. März 2007 – (SWX: COPN) Cosmo Pharmaceuticals S.p.A., ein Spezialitätenpharmaunternehmen, das sich zum Ziel gesetzt hat, weltweit führend für optimierte Therapien zur Behandlung bestimmter Magen-Darm-Erkrankungen zu werden, gibt heute bekannt, dass das Emissionskonsortium bestehend aus Bank Sal. Oppenheim jr. & Cie. (Switzerland) Ltd. und Lehman Brothers International (Europe) die Mehrzuteilungsoption (Greenshoe) in Höhe von 348 900 Aktien zum Ausgabekurs vollständig ausgeübt hat. Der erste Handelstag für die zusätzlichen Aktien am Hauptsegment der SWX Swiss Exchange ist voraussichtlich der 19. März 2007.

Mit dem gestrigen Schlusskurs von CHF 22,50 beträgt die Marktkapitalisierung, inklusive der ausgeübten Mehrzuteilungsoption, CHF 312,2 Mio. Cosmo Pharmaceuticals S.p.A. wurde am 12. März 2007 erstmals an der SWX Swiss Exchange gehandelt.

Mauro Ajani, CEO von Cosmo, kommentiert: "Wir freuen uns über die überaus positive Aufnahme von Cosmo Pharmaceuticals im Markt. Trotz des schwierigen Börsenumfelds ist der Aktienkurs in den letzten drei Tagen rund 15% gestiegen. Wir werten es als Zeichen des Vertrauens, dass das Bankenconsortium die Mehrzuteilungsoption so kurz nach dem Börsengang an der SWX Swiss Exchange vollständig ausgeübt hat."

Über Cosmo Pharmaceuticals

Cosmo will ein weltweit führendes Spezialitätenpharmaunternehmen für optimierte Therapien für Magen-Darm-Erkrankungen werden. Die geschützte klinische Entwicklungspipeline von Cosmo fokussiert sich auf innovative Behandlungen von entzündlichen Darmerkrankungen (IBD), wie zum Beispiel Colitis ulcerosa und die Morbus-Crohn-Krankheit sowie Dickdarminfektionen. Das am weitesten entwickelte Produkt von Cosmo ist LIALDA™/MEZAVANT™, ein Medikament zur Behandlung von leichter bis mittelschwerer Colitis ulcerosa, das weltweit an Giuliani und Shire plc. lizenziert wurde. Die geschützte MMX™-Technologie ist für die Produktpipeline des Unternehmens zentral. Sie wurde auf der Basis der Erfahrungen bei der Formulierung und Herstellung von Arzneimitteln zur Behandlung von Magen- Darm-Erkrankungen für internationale Kunden in den GMP-konformen (Good Manufacturing Practice) Produktionsstätten in Lainate, Italien, entwickelt. Weitere Informationen auf www.cosmopharmaceuticals.com

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