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Dear Sirs,

SUB: PRESS RELEASE - DISCLOSURE UNDER REGULATION 30 OF SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find the enclosed copy of press release being issued today.

Thanking You,

Yours Faithfully,
For Caplin Point Laboratories Limited

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# PRESS RELEASE

# CAPLIN POINT ANNOUNCES FDA APPROVAL FOR KETOROLAC TROMETHAMINE INJECTION 30MG/ML IN THE U.S. — A PRODUCT DEVELOPED FOR CYCLE PHARMACEUTICALS LTD.

Chennai, India, September 20, 2017 – Caplin Point Laboratories (Caplin Point) is pleased to inform that Cycle Pharmaceuticals Ltd ("Cycle") has received approval from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") of its Abbreviated New Drug Application ("ANDA") for Ketorolac Tromethamine Injection 30mg/mL. Ketorolac Tromethamine Injection is a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug ("NSAID") and is indicated for the short-term (up to 5 days in adults) management of moderately severe acute pain that requires analgesia at the opioid level.

Ketorolac Tromethamine Injection has been developed at Caplin Point and will be manufactured at Caplin's FDA approved site. Cycle has selected Virtus Pharmaceuticals, LLC ("Virtus") as the importer and distributor of Ketorolac Tromethamine Injection in the U.S.

"We are proud to have partnered with Caplin Point, their injectable drug product development and manufacturing capabilities are impressive, and their support has been key to meet this approval timeline. This FDA approval is the first of Cycle's promising pipeline of generic drugs, which will alleviate unmet demand from patients and keep prices fair." said Antonio Benedetti, CEO of Cycle Pharmaceuticals.

Caplin Point's Chairman C.C.Paarthipan added "This is the first ANDA that has been approved from our injectable site, and we appreciate Cycle's constant support during the entire process. It is the first of many more milestones to be covered from our entry into the regulated markets. Our plan is to file 30-35 ANDAs over the next 3-4 years, which would involve a mix of simple and complex generic molecules."

### ABOUT CAPLIN POINT LABORATORIES LTD.

Caplin Point Laboratories Limited is a niche pharmaceutical company with a unique business model catering predominantly to emerging markets of Latin America and Africa. Caplin Point has state of the art manufacturing facilities that cater to a complete range of finished dosage forms. The Company currently holds over 2300 product licenses across Latin America and Africa with another 350 in the pipeline.

Caplin Point has developed and filed 3 ANDAs so far with partners and targets another 30-35 ANDAs to be filed on its own in the next 3-4 years.

Caplin Point has been selected on Forbes Asia's "200 Best Under a Billion" list for three consecutive years (2014, 2015 & 2016), one of the very few companies to appear on the list for three successive years. For more information, please visit <a href="www.caplinpoint.net">www.caplinpoint.net</a>



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#### ABOUT CYCLE PHARMACEUTICALS LTD.

Cycle is a pharmaceutical company that optimizes and increases access to existing pharmaceuticals. Specifically, Cycle focuses on three areas of pharmaceutical development:

- Improving orphan drugs, which treat the under-served rare disease patient community,

- Reinstating generic drug products that have been previously marketed; and

- Working with our academic and other partners to extend pharmaceuticals to new medical areas where there is clear unmet need. The company's global headquarters is in Cambridge, England. For further information, please visit <a href="https://www.cyclepharma.com">www.cyclepharma.com</a>.

#### ABOUT VIRTUS PHARMACEUTICALS, LLC

Virtus' mission is to be the leading specialty niche pharmaceutical company providing the highest quality products through experienced leadership, innovative approaches and outstanding customer service. For more information, please visit www.virtusrx.com

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