

## CAVA HEALTHCARE INC. PRESS RELEASE

## CAVA HEALTHCARE ANNOUNCES INTENTION TO GRANT NOTIFICATION FROM THE EUROPEAN PATENT ORGANIZATION FOR ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE DRUGS

Patent Provides Cava Healthcare Exclusivity

Vancouver, British Columbia, December 4, 2023 — Cava Healthcare Inc. (Cava), a biopharmaceutical company dedicated to enhancing the lives of Alzheimer's disease patients through therapeutic development and commercialization, announced today the issuance of a Notice of Allowance by the European Patent Organization (EPO). EPO member states include Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and the United Kingdom. This allowance encompasses claims designed to safeguard a novel drug-based approach for Alzheimer's disease treatment. The Intention to Grant signifies the EPO's acknowledgment of the invention's patentability. Following issuance, Cava plans to initiate clinical trials for its lead compounds targeting Alzheimer's disease.

"This allowance significantly establishes Cava's potential dominance in intellectual property concerning a groundbreaking approach to Alzheimer's disease treatment. Our successful proof-of-concept studies in preclinical Alzheimer's disease models demonstrate the innovative approach's effectiveness in reducing amyloid plaque burden, concurrently leading to cognitive memory recovery. These outcomes underscore the promising nature of our approach," stated Dr. Wilfred Jefferies, Chief Scientific Officer of Cava.

The issuance of this Intention to Grant notification marks a pivotal milestone in Cava's commitment to securing the commercial viability of neurological disease drugs, particularly for Alzheimer's disease. Cava has further submitted numerous patent applications, issued or allowed, in the United States, Asia, and Europe.

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On Behalf of the Board of Directors

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## CAVA IS FOCUSED ON ENHANCING OPTIMAL HEALTH BY PREDICTING, PREVENTING AND ALLEVIATING DISEASE

Cava is a specialty biotechnology company focused on advancing drug development to address unmet medical needs in neurodegeneration, inflammation, and restoration of immune function. The Company has a patent protected portfolio of intellectual property and technology, concentrated on the development of a treatment for Alzheimer's Disease and various oncology related biomarkers and treatments.

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This press release contains forward-looking statements and forward-looking information (collectively, "forward-looking statements") within the meaning of applicable Canadian and U.S. securities legislation. including the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. All statements in this press release that are not purely historical are forward-looking statements and include statements regarding beliefs, plans, expectations, and orientations regarding the future including, without limitation, matters related to the Company's current and planned research and development programs, including in respect of the prosecution and maintenance of the patent portfolio, and the Company's prospect of success in executing its proposed plans. Often, but not always, forward-looking statements can be identified by words such as "will", "plans", "expects", "may", "intends", "anticipates", "believes", "proposes" or variations of such words including negative variations thereof and phrases that refer to certain actions, events or results that may, could, would, might or will occur or be taken or achieved. Forward-looking statements are based on certain assumptions regarding the Company, including, without limitation, expected growth, results of operations and research and development activities (including in respect of the patent portfolio), results of operations, performance, industry trends, growth opportunities, and that the Company will be able to obtain the financing required to carry out its planned future business activities, retain and attract qualified research personnel and obtain and/or maintain the necessary intellectual property rights it needs to carry out its future business activities.

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