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Ascletis Pharma Inc.

歌禮製藥有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 1672)

**ANNOUNCEMENT
INSIDE INFORMATION**

**ASCLETIS ANNOUNCES SUBMISSION OF MARKETING
AUTHORIZATION APPLICATION FOR RITONAVIR IN HONG KONG**

This announcement is made by Ascletis Pharma Inc. (the “**Company**” or “**Ascletis**”) pursuant to Rule 13.09(2)(a) of the Rules (the “**Listing Rules**”) Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”) and the Inside Information Provisions under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

The board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Directors**”) of the Company announces that it has submitted the marketing authorization application for ritonavir (100 mg film-coated tablet) in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People’s Republic of China (“**Hong Kong**”).

Diagnosis and Treatment Protocol for Novel Coronavirus Pneumonia (Trial Version 9) (《**新型冠状病毒肺炎診療方案(試行第九版)**》) released on March 15, 2022 by the National Health Commission of the People’s Republic of China includes PF-07321332/ritonavir (Paxlovid) as an antiviral therapy. Recently, Ascletis has further expanded its ritonavir oral tablet production capacity to approximately 530 million tablets per year, to meet the potential escalation in the domestic and global demand.

Ascletis aims to be a global commercial supplier of ritonavir oral tablets. To date, Ascletis owns the only authorized ritonavir oral tablet in China, which has passed bioequivalence study. Ascletis’ ritonavir oral tablet was approved in September 2021 by China National Medical Products Administration (國藥准字H20213698). Ascletis has submitted marketing authorization applications for ritonavir (100 mg film-coated tablet) in 12 European countries (Germany, France, Ireland, the United Kingdom, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Belgium, Poland, Sweden, the Netherlands and Denmark) through its agent in Europe.

Cautionary Statement required by Rule 18A.05 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited: We cannot guarantee that we will be able to obtain the final market approvals for ritonavir in Hong Kong successfully.

Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

By order of the Board
Asclepis Pharma Inc.
歌禮製藥有限公司
Jinzi Jason WU
Chairman

Hangzhou, the People's Republic of China
April 3, 2022

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Dr. Jinzi Jason WU and Mrs. Judy Hejingdao WU, as executive Directors; and Dr. Yizhen WEI, Mr. Jiong GU and Ms. Lin HUA, as independent non-executive Directors.