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## **Dr Roger Aston – Non-Executive Director**

**Sydney, Australia, 4 May 2017:** OncoSil Medical Limited (ASX: OSL) (**OncoSil Medical** or the **Company**), is pleased to announce that following the appointment of Dr Chris Roberts as Chairman, Dr Roger Aston will remain on the Board as a Non-Executive director.

Board and Management wish to acknowledge and thank Dr Roger Aston for his years of service and leadership as both co-inventor of the OncoSil technology and Chairman from September 2014 to the present.

Commenting on the leadership transition, Dr Roger said: "I am proud of what we have achieved at OncoSil in recent years, advancing the commercialisation of this important technology. Dr Roberts has excellent experience which will be invaluable to OncoSil at this crucial time in the company's development, and I look forward to continuing to contribute to the company's strategic direction under his leadership."

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## **About OncoSil**

OncoSil Medical is a medical device company seeking to advance radiation for cancer patients. OncoSil Medical's lead product, OncoSil™ is a targeted radioactive isotope (Phosphorous-32), implanted directly into a patient's pancreatic tumours via an endoscopic ultrasound.

Treatment with OncoSil™ is intended to deliver more concentrated and localised beta radiation compared to external beam radiation. OncoSil Medical has conducted four clinical studies with encouraging results on tolerability, safety and efficacy. A CE Mark application to commercially sell OncoSil™ in the European Union (EU) is under review with commercial launch, subject to approval.

An Investigational Device Exemption (IDE) has been granted by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to conduct a clinical study of the OncoSil™ device aimed at supporting a PMA approval. Pancreatic cancer is typically diagnosed at a later stage, when there is a poor prognosis for long-term survival. The World Cancer Research Fund estimated that in 2012, 338,000 people globally were diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. The prognosis for patients diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, regardless of stage, is generally poor; the relative five-year survival rate for all stages combined is approximately 5%. The estimated world-wide market opportunity for OncoSil™ in pancreatic cancer exceeds \$1b.

Hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) or liver cancer, is the 6th most common cancer in the world with 782,000 new cases diagnosed in 2012. While hepatocellular carcinoma can be treated by surgery or transplantation, the majority of patients with HCC have disease which is too advanced for surgery and their survival ranges from a few months to two or more years. The value of the hepatocellular cancer market is expected to triple in size to \$1.4b by 2019.

## **Forward Looking Statements**

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