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ASX Announcement



Updated COVID-19 RAT receives Regulatory Approval in Europe

AnteoTech Ltd (ASX: ADO) ("AnteoTech" or "the Company") is pleased to advise that it has successfully registered an updated EuGeni COVID-19 Rapid Antigen Test (RAT)¹ in Europe under the In Vitro Diagnostic Directive (IVDD) 98/79/EC Regulations. The new registration strengthens the EuGeni COVID -19 RAT's competitive position as it broadens and aligns sampling methods to current trends in standard of care for the European market. The updated test will provide additional leverage as AnteoTech expands the EuGeni COVID-19 RAT footprint in Europe.

The new registration is for the same core SARS-CoV-2 Ag Rapid Diagnostic Test registered in April 2021 but now covers multiple use claims (sampling methods) to include combined nose and throat sampling and nasal mid-turbinate sampling on top of the original nasopharyngeal sampling method.

To establish the new use claims, AnteoTech completed analytical and clinical performance evaluations in the US and the UK respectively, that focussed on validating the test's effectiveness in detecting the Omicron variant of SARS-CoV-2, the dominant variant currently circulating globally. This work will be used in future regulatory submissions.

The European Clinical Trial currently underway is also evaluating the updated multiple-use claim, to enable this to be included in the EU Common List registration application. As AnteoTech receives orders for the updated multiple-use claim test kits, the original nasopharyngeal test will be phased out.

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This announcement has been authorised for release by Mr Derek Thomson, Chief Executive Officer.

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¹ The AnteoTech Antigen Rapid Test detects the SARS-CoV-2 virus that causes the disease called COVID-19



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