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## **Update on Litigation in United States**

Metalicity Limited (ASX:MCT) ("Metalicity" or "the Company") wishes to update the market on progress with its litigation in the United States, as previously announced.

The Company is one of several defendants named in the proceedings. The plaintiff's claims relate to M-COR hip implants allegedly implanted in December 2012 and October 2013. These matters relate to the Company's former operations prior to the company going reconstructing under a deed of company arrangement and relisting as a mining enterprise.

Nonetheless, the Company has instructed lawyers in the United States in relation to these historical matters. The Company denies liability and intends to file a motion to dismiss the proceedings if they are not voluntarily withdrawn by the plaintiff.

The Company relies on a number of grounds in support of summary dismissal of the proceedings as against the Company, including but not limited to objection to jurisdiction, a statutory bar to claims pursuant to a deed of company arrangement which was effectuated on 23 November 2011, and the sale of the Company's M-COR implant business in 2009, several years prior to the alleged implantation of M-COR devices in the plaintiff.

This Announcement is approved by Jason Livingstone, Managing Director & CEO of Metalicity Limited.

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