

### **ASX Announcement**

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# iQ3Corp. announces investment banking arm

iQ3Corp Ltd (ASX:IQ3) today announced that through its fully owned subsidiary in the U.S., iQ Capital LLC, it is applying to obtain the necessary licenses to operate an investment banking business dedicated to life sciences.

For this reason it has mandated its advisors to commence regulatory filings with a scope to offer the following financial services:

## Debt or equity offerings through public or private placement.

- > Pricing of securities in the debt and equity offerings
- > Origination, which deals with equity capital markets and debt capital markets
- > Underwriting
- > Marketing
- > Structuring
- > Syndication
- > Managing the allocation and stabilisation activities of offerings

# Mergers, acquisitions and financial restructuring.

- > Tender offers
- > Selling assets
- > Corporate reorganisation or divestitures
- > Transactions involving business combinations, which include rendering opinions solvency and fairness opinions

#### General Broker and Dealer Services.

The investment bank – iQ Capital – aims to realise cross border arbitrage between Australian biotech assets and American biotechnology institutional investors.

CEO of iQ3Corp., Dr. George Syrmalis – who previously founded and led one of Europe's first and foremost Biotechnology companies, The Bionuclear Group SA – says, 'this represents a major milestone for our investors, the biotech industry, our team and the people we work with.'

'I believe this is an extremely strategic and innovative position to take within the industry, and demonstrates our whole-hearted commitment towards developing

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the medicines of the future.'

iQ3Corp. expects iQ Capital to gradually commence operational activity in approximately 90 days and fulfill its regulatory commitments within six to nine months.

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### **About iQ3Corp Limited:**

iQ3Corp is a specialised life science corporate finance and advisory firm bridging capital with science to create the medicines of the future.

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