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Issue of Corporate Advisory Options

Medical technology company Proteomics International Laboratories Ltd (Proteomics International; ASX: PIQ) advises that 1,250,000 options (**Options**) have been issued to Candour Advisory Pty Ltd pursuant to the terms of an investor relations and corporate advisory agreement.

The Corporate Advisory Options have an exercise price of \$0.50 per option and an expiry date of 18 August 2023 and will not be quoted.

The terms and conditions of the Options follow this announcement. An Appendix 3B will be lodged separately.

Secondary Trading Notice Pursuant to Paragraph 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act 2001 ("Act")

The Act restricts the on-sale of securities issued without disclosure, unless the sale is exempt under section 708 or 708A of the Act. By giving this notice, a sale of the Options noted above will fall within the exemption in section 708A(5) of the Act.

The Company hereby notifies ASX under paragraph 708A(5)(e) of the Act that:

- (a) the Company issued the Options without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act;
- (b) as at the date of this Notice, the Company has complied with the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company, and section 674 of the Act; and
- (c) as at the date of this Notice, there is no information:
 - i. that has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the ASX Listing Rules; and
 - II. that investors and their professional advisers would reasonably require for the purposes of making an informed assessment of:
 - a. the assets and liabilities, financial position and performance, profits and losses and prospects of the Company; or
 - b. the rights and liabilities attaching to the relevant Options.

This announcement was authorised to be given to ASX by the Board of Directors of Proteomics International Laboratories Ltd.

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About Proteomics International Laboratories (PILL) (www.proteomicsinternational.com)

Proteomics International (Perth, Western Australia) is a wholly owned subsidiary and trading name of PILL (ASX: PIQ), a medical technology Company at the forefront of predictive diagnostics and bio-analytical services. The Company specialises in the area of proteomics – the industrial scale study of the structure and function of proteins. It received the world's first ISO 17025 laboratory accreditation for proteomics services, and operates from state-of-the-art facilities located on Perth's QEII Medical Campus.

Proteomics International's business model is centred on the commercialisation of the Company's high-speed, low cost predictive test for diabetic kidney disease, PromarkerD. The Company offsets the cash burn from R&D and product development through provision of specialist analytical services, whilst using its proprietary Promarker™ technology platform to create a pipeline of novel diagnostic tests.

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Terms and Conditions of Corporate Advisory Options

The Options entitle the holder to subscribe for Shares on the following terms and conditions:

a) *Exercise Price*

The exercise price per Option is \$0.50.

b) *Entitlement*

Each Option shall entitle the holder the right to subscribe (in cash) for one Share in the capital of the Company.

c) *Option Period*

The Options will expire at 5:00pm WST on 18 August 2023 (**Expiry Date**). Subject to clause (g), Options may be exercised at any time prior to the expiry date and Options not so exercised shall automatically lapse on the Expiry Date.

d) *Ranking of Share Allotted on Exercise of Option*

Each Share allotted as a result of the exercise of any Option will, subject to the Constitution of the Company, rank in all respects pari passu with the existing Shares in the capital of the Company on issue at the date of issue.

e) *Voting*

A registered owner of an Option (**Option Holder**) will not be entitled to attend or vote at any meeting of the members of the Company unless they are, in addition to being an Option Holder, a member of the Company.

f) *Transfer of an Option*

Options are transferrable at any time prior to the Expiry Date. This right is subject to any restrictions on the transfer of Options that may be imposed by the ASX.

g) *Method of Exercise of an Option*

(i) The Company will provide to each Option Holder a notice that is to be completed when exercising the Options (**Notice of Exercise of Options**). Options may be exercised by the Option Holder by completing the Notice of Exercise of Options and forwarding the same to the Company Secretary to be received prior to the expiry date. The Notice of Exercise of Options must state the number of Options exercised and the consequent number of ordinary shares in the capital of the Company to be allotted; which number of Options must be a multiple of 2,500 if only part of the Option Holder's total Options are exercised, or if the total number of Options held by an Option Holder is less than 2,500, then the total of all Options held by that Option Holder must be exercised.

(ii) The Notice of Exercise of Options by an Option Holder must be accompanied by payment in full for the relevant number of shares being subscribed, being an amount of \$0.50 per Share.

(iii) Subject to paragraph (g)(i) above, the exercise of less than all of an Option Holder's Options will not prevent the Option Holder from exercising the whole or any part of the balance of the Option Holder's entitlement under the Option Holder's remaining Options.

(iv) Within 14 business days from the date the Option Holder properly exercises Options held by the Option Holder, the Company shall issue and allot to the Option Holder that number of Shares in the capital of the Company so subscribed for by the Option Holder.

(v) If the Company is listed on the ASX, the Company will within 3 business days from the date of issue and allotment of Shares pursuant to the exercise of an Option, apply to the ASX for, and use its best endeavours to obtain, Official Quotation of all such Shares, in accordance with the Corporations Act and the Listing Rules of the ASX.

(vi) The Company will generally comply with the requirements of the Listing Rules in relation to the timetables imposed when quoted Options are due to expire. Where there shall be any inconsistency between the timetables outlined herein regarding the expiry of the Options and the timetable outlined in the Listing Rules, the timetable outlined in the Listing Rules shall apply.

h) *Reconstruction*

In the event of a reconstruction (including consolidation, sub-division, reduction or return) of the issued capital of the Company, all rights of the Option Holder will be changed to the extent necessary to comply with the Corporations Act and ASX Listing Rules applying to the reconstruction of capital, at the time of the reconstruction.

i) *Participation in New Share Issues*

There are no participating rights or entitlements inherent in the Options to participate in any new issues of capital which may be made or offered by the Company to its shareholders from time to time prior to the expiry date unless and until the Options are exercised. The Company will ensure that during the exercise period, the record date for the purposes of determining entitlements to any new such issue, will be such date required under the Listing Rules in order to afford the Option Holder an opportunity to exercise the Options held by the Option Holder.

j) *No Change of Options' Exercise Price or Number of Underlying Shares*

The Options do not confer the right to a change in exercise price or change to the number of underlying securities except in the circumstances outlined in Listing Rule 6.22. There are no rights to change the exercise price of the Options or the number of underlying Shares if there is a bonus issue to the holders of ordinary shares. If the Company makes a pro rata issue of securities (except a bonus issue) to the holders of ordinary shares (other than an issue in lieu or in satisfaction of dividends or by way of dividend investment) the Option exercise price shall be reduced according to the formula specified in the Listing Rules.