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## Roto-Gro Launches Growing Management Services

- Roto-Gro launches Growing Management Services for licensed cannabis cultivators
- Roto-Gro solidifies its unique selling proposition using the Company's United States Rotary Garden Patent; optimizing yields and maximising cost efficiencies resulting from its decade-plus growing experience in the hydroponic space
- Growing Management contracts will result in increased exposure and sales of Roto-Gro Systems as well as provide a second revenue stream for the Company
- Cannabis sales in the United States were recorded at \$6.7 billion in 2016, more than \$10 billion in 2017, and projected to exceed \$20 billion by 2021

Roto-Gro World Wide (Canada) Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Roto-Gro International Limited ("**ASX:RGI**", "**Roto-Gro**" or the "**Company**"), is pleased to announce the launch of its growing management services which solidifies its position as the market leader in vertical hydroponic farming. Through this offering, Roto-Gro will manage all aspects of License development from; design and buildout to growing management (nutrient feeding and lighting cycles) and harvest.

The Company has received several enquiries from publicly listed licensed cannabis cultivators in North America, which is owed to both the strength of the Company's licensed, registered American patent (the "US Patent") for a complete automated rotational hydroponic garden system ('Rotary Plant Growing Apparatus Patent', registered as United States Patent Number US 6,840,007 B2, enforceable and valid until February 28, 2023) and the Company's propriety growing management software. The US Patent captures fifteen (15) years of prior art in conjunction with ongoing product development, providing protection in the United States from competition in the rotational hydroponic space until 2023. This provides the Company with an unrivalled lead to licensed cannabis cultivators in the US seeking to harness the significant space, cost and yield advantages of the Roto-Gro System consistently providing the lowest cannabis cost per gram in the market.

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Current laws in the United States have legalized cannabis use in thirty (30) States with other States still working on formalising legalisation. Legal cannabis sales in the United States were recorded at \$6.7 billion in 2016, more than \$10 billion in 2017, and sales are expected to exceed \$20 billion by 2021 (source: Forbes Media, LLC). Canada will legalise the recreational use of cannabis for adults in 2018 with projected annual Canadian sales to reach \$7 billion by 2021 (source: Deloitte).

Roto-Gro stands out from its peers with proven, tried and tested patented, patent pending and proprietary technology, which provide stakeholders with a unique opportunity across the entire spectrum of hydroponic growing. The Company is distinctively positioned to meet the increasing demand for highly-skilled resources and innovative technologies in the hydroponic space because of the decade-plus hands-on growing experience in optimising yields and realizing cost efficiencies.

Managing Director, Michael Carli states; “We are very pleased with the interest for our growing management services and the potential for direct investment into cannabis licenses. Revenues from the lawful sales of cannabis in North America are projected to be \$14 billion in 2018 – the greatest globally. Our proprietary and patented technology combined with our growing management expertise (providing the lowest cannabis cost per gram), solidifies our competitive advantage and significantly de-risks our global entry into the growing management space. This provides the Company an unrivalled opportunity to generate significant annual revenues in addition to those generated from machine sales and software services. Roto-Gro is set to become the world leader in this market and to be unrivalled in the United States because of its proprietary and patented technology.

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#### **About Roto-Gro International Limited**

Roto-Gro International Limited is an Australian-based company with licensed, proprietary, patented, and patents-pending technology in the stackable rotary hydroponic garden space. Roto-Gro holds worldwide exclusive licenses for lawful medicinal and recreational cannabis markets and also holds worldwide licences for all other purposes including pharmaceuticals, health and nutrition supplements, nutraceuticals and perishable foods.

The Company is also focused on expanding into industry synergistic opportunities; exploring strategic partnerships and complimentary acquisitions in related markets, which include, growing management services, world class fertigation systems, industry leading nutrients, emerging tissue culture expertise and other supporting faculties of hydroponic growing.

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