Hemostemix Announces Rick Groome as Special Advisor to The CEO

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May 16, 2022 (<u>Source</u>) — Hemostemix Inc. (TSXV: HEM) (OTCQB: HMTXF) (FSE: 2VF0) ("Hemostemix" or the "Company") is pleased to announce Mr. Richard ("Rick") Groome has joined Hemostemix as a special advisor to the CEO, focused on completing a series of financing transactions. Over the last three decades Mr. Groome was instrumental in creating and building two securities firms, Marleau Lemire and Groome Capital, which funded many successful biotechnology companies.

"I am delighted to join the Hemostemix team and look forward to helping bring this ground breaking technology to those in need," said Mr. Groome.

"Rick enables us to reach a much broader investing audience in the USA, Europe and the Middle East. He is a great addition to our team," stated Thomas Smeenk, CEO.

ABOUT HEMOSTEMIX

Hemostemix is a publicly traded autologous stem cell therapy company, founded in 2003. A winner of the World Economic Forum Technology Pioneer Award, the Company developed and has published seven peer reviewed articles about the safety and efficacy of its lead product ACP-01 as a treatment of CLI, PAD, Angina, Ischemic Cardiomyopathy, Dilated Cardiomyopathy and other conditions of ischemia. ACP-01 has been used to treat over 300 patients, and it is the subject of a randomized, placebocontrolled, double blind trial of its safety and efficacy in

patients with advanced critical limb ischemia who have exhausted all other options to save their limb from amputation.

On October 21, 2019, the Company announced the results from its Phase II CLI trial abstract presentation entitled "Autologous Stem Cell Treatment for CLI Patients with No Revascularization Options: An Update of the Hemostemix ACP-01 Trial With 4.5 Year Follow-up" which noted healing of ulcers and resolution of ischemic rest pain occurred in 83% of patients, with outcomes maintained for up to 4.5 years.

The Company owns 91 patents across five patent families titled: Regulating Stem Cells, In Vitro Techniques for use with Stem Cells, Production from Blood of Cells of Neural Lineage, and Automated Cell Therapy. For more information, please visit www.hemostemix.com.

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