Voyageur Pharmaceuticals Grants Deferred Share Units

written by Raj Shah | February 24, 2025 February 24, 2025 (Source) - Voyageur Pharmaceuticals Ltd. (TSX.V: VM) (OTC: VYYRF) ("Voyageur" or the "Corporation"), a provider of innovative medical imaging solutions, announces that it has issued 955,045 Deferred Share Units ("DSUs") to directors of the Corporation pursuant to its fixed 10% equity incentive compensation plan (the "Plan"). Each DSU represents a right of the holder to receive one common share ("Common Share") of the Corporation effective as of the date that the holder ceases service as a director of the Company. The DSUs are used to compensate directors of the Corporation for their annual retainers and are issued quarterly using a deemed value that is equal to the weighted average share price during that quarter. The DSUs do not have an exercise price but in respect of the 955,045 DSUs being granted have a starting value equal to approximately \$0.06544 per DSU, based on the weighted average share price for the quarters ended September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2024. The DSUs are subject to the terms of the Plan and the policies of the TSX Venture Exchange (the "Exchange"), and are subject to Exchange approval. The DSUs and any Common Shares issued pursuant to the exercise of the DSUs are subject to a four month hold in accordance with the policies of the Exchange.

About Voyageur Pharmaceuticals Ltd.

Voyageur, a Canadian public company trading under the symbol VM on the TSXV, is in development of barium and iodine Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (API) and intends to offer high-performance, cost-effective imaging contrast agents. With a

strategic focus on vertically integrating the barium and iodine contrast markets, Voyageur aims to become a key player by producing its own barium, iodine, and new endohedral fullerene drugs (C60). Voyageur has developed five barium contrast products that have Health Canada licenses.

Voyageur's business plan is set to generate cash flow by partnering with established third-party GMP pharmaceutical manufacturers in Canada thereby ensuring the validation of its products by regulatory agencies worldwide. As Voyageur solidifies its presence in the market, it plans to transition into a high-margin domestic manufacturer of radiology drugs, further expanding its revenue streams.

At the core of its operations, Voyageur owns 100% interest in the Frances Creek barium sulphate (barite) project. Currently, the world's pharmaceutical barium sulphate is almost entirely synthetically produced which management believes results in a less effective imaging quality product. Voyageur's Frances Creek resource boasts a rare and exceptional grade mineral suitable for the pharmaceutical marketplace that Voyageur believes will replace the current synthetic products with higher quality lower cost imaging products.

Voyageur's ambitious vision is to become the first vertically integrated company in the radiology contrast media drug market. By controlling all primary input costs, from the sourcing of raw materials to final production, Voyageur intends to ensure quality and cost efficiency. With its approach, it embodies the motto of "From the Earth to the Bottle," highlighting Voyageur's commitment to responsible sourcing and manufacturing practices.

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