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BIOCARTIS LAUNCHES EQUITY PLACEMENT

Mechelen, Belgium, 17 November 2016 — Biocartis Group NV (the 'Company' or 'Biocartis'), an innovative molecular diagnostics company (Euronext Brussels: BCART), today announces that it has launched an equity offering to raise an amount of approximately €25 million by means of a private placement via an accelerated bookbuild offering (the "Offering"), with the possibility to increase the size of the Offering to up to 4,058,917 new shares in total (representing up to approximately 10% of the Company's issued share capital).

The bookbuilding procedure will commence immediately. The Company will announce the results of the placement as soon as possible after closing of the bookbuilding in a subsequent press release.

The net proceeds of the Offering will be used:

- to fund the development, regulatory approvals and launches of new tests and applications for its Idylla™ platform;
- to fund the expansion of its sales and marketing team to support the global roll-out of its products;
- to fund the expansion of Biocartis' cartridge manufacturing capacity; and
- for general corporate purposes.

Trading in Biocartis shares on Euronext Brussels will be suspended during the bookbuilding period. Trading in the stock is expected to resume following the publication of the results of the Offering.

Degroof Petercam, KBC Securities and Kempen & Co are acting as Joint Bookrunners in the Offering.

In relation to the Offering, the Company has agreed with the Joint Bookrunners to a market customary 90-days standstill period on future share issuances, waivable by the Joint Bookrunners.

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About Biocartis

Biocartis (Euronext Brussels: BCART) is an innovative molecular diagnostics (MDx) company providing next generation diagnostic solutions aimed at improving clinical practice for the benefit of patients, clinicians, payers and industry. Biocartis' proprietary MDx Idylla™ platform is a fully automated sample-to-result, real-time PCR (Polymerase Chain Reaction) system that offers accurate, highly reliable molecular information from virtually any biological sample in virtually any setting. Biocartis launched the Idylla™ platform in September 2014. Biocartis is developing and marketing a rapidly expanding test menu addressing key unmet clinical needs in oncology and infectious diseases. These areas represent respectively the fastest growing and largest segments of the MDx market worldwide. Today, Biocartis has five oncology tests and two infectious disease tests on the market. More information: www.biocartis.com. Press Photo Library available here. Follow us on Twitter: @Biocartis_.

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