

News Release

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Marapharm Ventures Inc. "Marapharm" provides updates on construction of Cannabis facilities

Marapharm announces that demolition within the 30,000 square foot facility located on it's 13.6 acre cannabis campus in Washington state is 60% complete. It's estimated that all demolition will be completed by August 7, 2017. Electricians are determining fire and power services for the next phase to build out the facility for cultivation and processing and plans for the redesign are completed. The final harvest of a cannabis crop in the existing facility was Friday, July 21, 2017, in order to facilitate the final part of the demolition and for the new construction to commence. Cultivation and processing of recreational marijuana will resume when construction is complete and will then be in the entire facility. Construction photos are posted on marapharm.com.

Marapharm announces that in Las Vegas, NV on it's 7 acres that construction on 2 starter buildings of 5000 square feet each is progressing, photos are posted on marapharm.com. Electrical and rebar inspections are done and the steel erector will be on site Wednesday July 26, 2017 to begin the assembly process.

"Plans for the 360,000 square foot facility in Las Vegas and plans for additional buildings located on the 13.6 acres we own in Washington are nearing completion and it's expected that construction will be able to commence soon in each location. Then, watch us grow!" Linda Sampson, Marapharm CEO.

ABOUT MARAPHARM VENTURES INC.

www.marapharm.com

Marapharm has more than 350,000 square feet of medical marijuana

licenses for its land and facilities in WA, CA and NV. In Nevada, the proposed building footprint is 360,000 square feet. The Nevada Department of Agriculture report by Tessa Rognier states that the average size of a cultivation facility in Nevada is 26,000 square feet. About three years ago, Marapharm applied in Canada to Health Canada for a MMPR (production and sales) license and has passed the necessary security clearances. The application is currently in the in-depth screening process. In September 2016, Health Canada contacted Marapharm with a provision to amend its application to allow for the new regulations, ACMPR. Marapharm owns 15 million shares and warrants of Veritas Pharma Inc., a public company.

Additional information on the operations or financial results of Marapharm are included in reports on file with applicable securities regulatory authorities and may be accessed through the CSE website (www.thecse.com), the OTC website (www.otcmarkets.com), and the SEDAR website (www.sedar.com) under the profile for Marapharm Ventures Inc.

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STOCK EXCHANGES:

Marapharm trades in Canada, ticker symbol MDM on the CSE, in the United States, ticker symbol MRPHF on the OTCQB, in Europe, ticker symbol 2M0 on the FSE.

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