



GRANT OF STOCK OPTIONS

January 5, 2016, Vancouver, B.C. – Veritas Pharma Inc. (“VRT” or the “Company”) (CSE: VRT) announces that it has issued 1.6 million stock options under the Company’s stock option plan at \$0.25 expiring January 4, 2021. The Company has raised \$110,000 through the exercise of 1,100,000 stock options at \$0.10. The Company has cancelled 200,000 stock options held by a previous director.

About VERITAS Pharma Inc.

Veritas Pharma Inc. (trading symbol CSE:VRT) is an early stage pharmaceutical company developing innovative medicinal cannabis cultivars for specific disease conditions such as chronic pain, emesis (nausea/vomiting), and epilepsy. Using a ‘lean and mean’ approach to product development, the company aims to select candidate cultivars using classical pharmacology techniques and then immediately evaluate them in the clinic to maximize both product value and shareholder return. Veritas’s scientists are an inter-disciplinary team that consists of chemists, pharmacologists, anesthetists, and clinical pharmacologists. Their focus is to use their knowledge to streamline the development of cannabis based treatments to capture considerable market share. Also through its wholly owned subsidiary, Sechelt Organic Marijuana Corp., has applied to Health Canada for a medical marijuana production and distribution license under the Marihuana for Medical Purposes Regulations (the “MMPR”).

**On behalf of the Board of Directors
Veritas Pharma Inc.**

"Dr. Lui Franciosi"
Dr. Lui Franciosi
Chief Executive Officer

Further information about the Company is available on our website at www.veritaspharmainc.com or under our profile on SEDAR at www.sedar.com and on the CSE website at www.thecse.com.

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