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ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

Launch of DROVE - CBL's World First Wheelchair Self-drive Controller

Control Bionics Ltd (ASX: CBL) is pleased to announce the launch of the world's first commercially offered autonomous wheelchair module for power wheelchairs, known as DROVE.

When installed on a power wheelchair, DROVE helps people traverse their home environment without using the joystick. DROVE will provide a whole new level of safe and reliable independence at home.

DROVE was developed by CBL in association with Deakin University's Applied Artificial Intelligence Institute in Burwood. This collaborative research and development program was first announced in CBL's September 2021 Quarterly Activity Report (released 27 October 2021).

A public launch of DROVE will take place at Deakin University on 19 April 2023.

This announcement was authorised by CBL CEO, Jeremy Steele.

About Control Bionics:

Control Bionics is a technology company which enables a disabled person to use their own neuroelectric signals, from their brain to a muscle, to control communication and movement through smartphones, tablets, computers and robotics, even when that muscle is not fully functional. The Company's wireless wearable device, 'NeuroNode', is a world leader in electromyography (EMG), capturing and processing those neuroelectric signals into electronic commands to do everything they would normally do with a keyboard, mouse, joystick or touchscreen. The technology also enables a person to use their eyes to replace a mouse in controlling a cursor on a screen simply by looking where they want the cursor to move; and then to select anything under the cursor, using NeuroNode; providing fast, intuitive communication and control through text, text-to-speech, emails, phone-messaging, web surfing and robotics.