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## **Genscript Biotech Corporation**

金斯瑞生物科技股份有限公司\*

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 1548)

## INSIDER INFORMATION ACHIEVING MAJOR MILESTONES IN THE COLLABORATION WITH JANSSEN BIOTECH, INC.

This announcement is made by the board of directors (the "Board") of Genscript Biotech Corporation (the "Company", together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") and the Inside Information Provisions (as defined in the Listing Rules) under Part XIVA of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong).

Reference is made to the inside information announcements of the Company dated 22 December 2017, 17 December 2018, 28 July 2019, 28 January 2020 and 21 December 2020 (collectively, the "Announcements"). Unless otherwise defined, capitalized terms used in this announcement shall have the same meanings as defined in the Announcements.

The Board is pleased to announce that, Legend Biotech Corporation ("Legend"), a non-wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, announced that the European Medicines Agency (the "EMA") has accepted the Marketing Authorization Application (the "MAA") seeking approval of ciltacabtagene autoleucel (cilta-cel) for the treatment of patients with relapsed and/or refractory multiple myeloma (RRMM). The acceptance of the MAA confirms that the application is valid and marks the commencement of the EMA's assessment process.

The Board is also pleased to announce that, according to the terms and conditions of the Agreement (as defined in the announcement of the Company dated 22 December 2017) entered into between Legend and Janssen Biotech, Inc. ("Janssen"), the sixth milestone relating to the clinical development of cilta-cel has been achieved and Legend is entitled to a milestone payment in the amount of US\$15,000,000 payable by Janssen for the sixth milestone.

To the best knowledge and belief of the Company, Janssen and its ultimate beneficial owners are third parties independent of the Company. The transactions contemplated under the Agreement do not constitute any notifiable transactions or connected transactions of the Company under the Listing Rules.

Shareholders and potential investors of the Company are advised to pay attention to investment risks and exercise caution when they deal or contemplate dealing in the securities of the Company.

By Order of the Board

Genscript Biotech Corporation

MENG Jiange

Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 21 May 2021

As at the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Meng Jiange, Ms. Wang Ye and Dr. Zhu Li; the non-executive Directors are Dr. Wang Luquan, Mr. Pan Yuexin and Ms. Wang Jiafen; and the independent non-executive Directors are Mr. Guo Hongxin, Mr. Dai Zumian, Mr. Pan Jiuan and Dr. Wang Xuehai.

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