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VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT CSTONE TO PRESENT CS5001 (ROR1 ADC) PHASE I RESULTS AT 2024 ASCO ANNUAL MEETING

CStone Pharmaceuticals (the "Company" or "CStone") is pleased to announce that the latest data of CS5001 (ROR1 ADC), a key asset of CStone Pipeline 2.0, will be presented at the 2024 American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) Annual Meeting in poster sessions. The ASCO Annual Meeting will be held in Chicago, the United States of America ("U.S."), from May 31 to June 4, 2024.

Detailed information is as follows:

- Abstract Title: A phase 1a/b, multi-regional, first-in-human study of CS5001, a novel anti-ROR1 ADC, in patients with advanced solid tumors and lymphomas.
- · Session date and time: June 1, 2024, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (Central Daylight Time)
- · Abstract number for publication: 3023

About CS5001 (ROR1 ADC)

CS5001 is a clinical-stage antibody-drug conjugate ("ADC") targeting ROR1 (receptor tyrosine kinase-like orphan receptor 1). CS5001 has uniquely designed and LCB's proprietary tumor-cleavable linker and pyrrolobenzodiazepine ("PBD") prodrug. Only after reaching the tumor, the linker and prodrug are cleaved to release the PBD toxin, resulting in lethal DNA cross-links in cancer cells. The use of the linker plus PBD prodrug effectively helps addressing the toxicity problem associated with traditional PBD payloads, leading to a better safety profile. CS5001 has demonstrated complete tumor suppression in several preclinical cancer models and demonstrated favorable serum half-life and pharmacokinetic characteristics. These will translate into broad therapeutic indications for multiple solid and hematological

malignancies. Additionally, CS5001 utilizes site-specific conjugation for a precise drug antibody ratio of which enables homogeneous production and large-scale manufacturing.

In October 2020, CStone signed a licensing agreement with LegoChem Biosciences, Inc. ("LCB") for the development and commercialization of CS5001 which was originally generated by collaboration of LCB and ABL Bio, both South Korea-based leading biotech companies. Under the agreement, CStone obtains the exclusive global right to develop and commercialize CS5001 outside the Republic of Korea.

About CStone

CStone (HKEX: 2616) is a biopharmaceutical company focused on research, development, and commercialization of innovative immuno-oncology and precision medicines to address the unmet medical needs of cancer patients in China and worldwide. Established in 2015, CStone has assembled a management team with extensive experience in innovative drug development, clinical research, and commercialization. The Company has built an oncology-focused pipeline of 12 drug candidates with a strategic emphasis on immuno-oncology combination therapies. Since inception, CStone has obtained 14 NDA approvals for various drugs (including ivosidenib). Multiple late-stage drug candidates are now under pivotal clinical trials or registration. CStone's vision is to bring innovative oncology therapies to cancer patients worldwide.

For more information about CStone, please visit: www.cstonepharma.com.

Cautionary Statement required by Rule 18A.05 of the Listing Rules: THE COMPANY CANNOT GUARANTEE THAT WE MAY BE ABLE TO ULTIMATELY DEVELOP AND MARKET CS5001 SUCCESSFULLY. Shareholders of the Company and potential investors are advised to exercise due care when dealing in the shares of the Company.

Forward Looking Statement

There is no assurance that any forward-looking statements regarding the business development of the Group in this announcement or any of the matters set out herein are attainable, will actually occur or will be realized or are complete or accurate. The financial and other data relating to the Group as disclosed in this announcement has also not been audited or reviewed by its auditors. Shareholders and/or potential investors of the Company are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the securities of the Company and not to place any excessive reliance on the information disclosed herein. Any shareholder or potential investor who is in doubt is advised to seek advice from professional advisors.

By Order of the Board **CStone Pharmaceuticals Dr. Wei Li** *Chairman*

Suzhou, the People's Republic of China, May 6th, 2024

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Company comprises Dr. Wei Li as Chairman and non-executive director, Dr. Jianxin Yang as executive director, Mr. Kenneth Walton Hitchner III, Mr. Xianghong Lin and Mr. Edward Hu as non-executive directors, and Dr. Paul Herbert Chew, Mr. Ting Yuk Anthony Wu and Mr. Hongbin Sun as independent non-executive directors.