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Simcere Pharmaceutical Group Limited

先聲藥業集團有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

(Stock code: 2096)

VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT

APPROVAL FOR MARKETING OF SANBEXIN[®] SUBLINGUAL TABLETS IN CHINA BY THE NATIONAL MEDICAL PRODUCTS ADMINISTRATION

This announcement is made by Simcere Pharmaceutical Group Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) on a voluntary basis to inform shareholders and potential investors of the Company regarding the latest business development of the Group.

The board (the “**Board**”) of directors (the “**Directors**”) of the Company is pleased to announce that, on December 1, 2024, Sanbexin[®] sublingual tablets (Edaravone and Dexborneol sublingual tablets) was approved for marketing in China by the National Medical Products Administration (NMPA) of China, the indication of which is to be used in the improvement of the neuro symptoms, the daily living abilities and dysfunction caused by Acute Ischemic Stroke (“**AIS**”).

ABOUT SANBEXIN[®] SUBLINGUAL TABLETS

Sanbexin[®] sublingual tablets is a brain cytoprotective agent composed of edaravone and dexborneol, two active ingredients with synergistic anti-oxidant and anti-inflammatory effects, which can significantly reduce brain cell injury or impairment caused by AIS. Such unique sublingual tablets formulation can quickly disintegrate once in contact with the saliva under the tongue and can be absorbed into the blood through the sublingual venous plexus, which is expected to increase the flexibility of stroke treatment. Sequential therapy consisting of the marketed Sanbexin[®] Injection (Edaravone and Dexborneol Concentrated Solution for Injection) and Sanbexin[®] sublingual tablets of the Company is expected to enable patients to receive a complete course of treatment in and outside of the hospital.

ABOUT THE COMPANY

The Company is an innovation and R&D-driven pharmaceutical company and has established a “State Key Laboratory of Neurology and Oncology Drug Development”. The Company focuses on the therapeutic areas of neuroscience, anti-oncology, autoimmune and anti-infection, with forward-looking layout of disease areas that may have significant clinical needs in the future, aiming to achieve the mission of “providing today’s patients with medicines of the future”. Driven by its in-house R&D efforts and synergistic innovation, the Company has established strategic cooperation partnerships with many innovative companies and research institutes.

By order of the Board
Sincere Pharmaceutical Group Limited
Mr. Ren Jinsheng
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, December 2, 2024

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. REN Jinsheng as the Chairman and executive Director; Mr. TANG Renhong, Mr. WAN Yushan and Ms. WANG Xi as the executive Directors; Mr. SONG Ruilin, Mr. WANG Jianguo, Mr. WANG Xinhua and Mr. SUNG Ka Woon as the independent non-executive Directors.