

News Release

PIVOTAL THERAPEUTICS CLOSES FIRST TRANCHE OF EQUITY FINANCING

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Woodbridge, Ontario, November 27, 2015 - Pivotal Therapeutics Inc. (OTCQB:PVTF; CSE:PVO), (“Pivotal” or the “Company”), a specialty pharmaceutical company with a focus on Omega-3 therapies for cardiovascular disease and overall health, is pleased to announce that it closed the first tranche of the previously announced non-brokered private placement of up to 7,500,000 Units (“Units”) at a price of \$0.21 per Unit. The first tranche consisted of 476,196 Units for gross proceeds of \$100,000. Efforts to close the full-targeted amount are ongoing.

Each Unit consists of one common share and one full purchase warrant. The purchase warrant entitles the holder to acquire one common share at a price of \$0.21 and will have an expiry of 60 months following the closing of the private placement.

The net proceeds of the private placement will be used for general working capital.

About Pivotal Therapeutics Inc.

Pivotal Therapeutics is a publicly traded (**OTCQB:PVTF; CSE:PVO**), specialty pharmaceutical company with a focus on cardiovascular disease and overall health. Pivotal Therapeutics' lead product **VASCAZEN**[®] is a prescription only medical food specially formulated for the dietary management of Omega-3 deficiency in patients with cardiovascular disease through elevating Eicosapentaenoic acid (EPA) and Docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) to levels associated with reduced risk of cardiovascular complications. **OMAZEN**[®] is a pharmaceutical grade Omega-3 providing over 90% pure Omega-3 in each capsule for the maintenance of good health. **OMAZEN**[®] is a patented product available for sale and distribution in Canada for the professional market. **BeneFishial**[™] and **BeneFishial**[™] **Pet** are the first products in Pivotal's new nutraceutical product line, which is specifically designed to be sold in the OTC direct-to-retail or direct-to-consumer markets and animal health and nutrition markets. The Company's product line is being expanded to include its first drug candidate **PVT-100** and a point of care diagnostic **OmegaSTAT**[™]. **PVT-100** utilizes **VASCAZEN**[®]'s unique formulation for the stabilization of vulnerable plaque in patients undergoing carotid endarterectomy. **OmegaSTAT**[™] is a rapid format point-of-care (POC) diagnostic test being developed to measure Omega-3 deficiency.

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The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements contained in this document as a result of new information or future events or developments. The CSE has not reviewed and does not accept responsibility for the adequacy or accuracy of this information.

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