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Press release

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# Recipharm prices its initial public offering at SEK 78 per share – trading on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm commences today

Recipharm AB (publ) ("Recipharm" or the "Company"), a leading CDMO (Contract Development and Manufacturing Organisation) in the pharmaceutical industry, today announces the outcome of the initial public offering of its shares and listing on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm (the "Offering").

The Offering attracted strong interest among Swedish and international institutional investors as well as Swedish retail investors. The Offering was substantially oversubscribed.

## The Offering in brief:

- The final price in the Offering has been set to SEK 78 per share of series B, corresponding to a market value of all shares issued by Recipharm of SEK 2,794 million.
- Recipharm receives approximately SEK 815 million in gross proceeds.
- To cover potential over-allotment in connection with the Offering, Lars Backsell and Thomas Eldered¹ (the "Principal Shareholders") have undertaken, at the request of the Joint Lead Managers, Carnegie Investment Bank AB (publ) and Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB (publ), to sell additional existing shares corresponding to up to 15 per cent of the number of shares of series B comprised by the Offering (the "Over-Allotment Option")², equal to not more than 2,517,884 shares of series B, representing approximately 7 per cent of the total number of shares in the Company.
- The Offering comprises 19,303,779 shares of series B, corresponding to approximately 54 per cent of the total number of shares in the Company if the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full.
- The total value of the Offering amounts to SEK 1,506 million, assuming that the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full.
- Trading in Recipharm's shares of series B on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm commences today, 3 April 2014 under the symbol "RECI B"<sup>3</sup>.

### **Thomas Eldered, CEO, comments:**

"It is very encouraging that the interest from both international institutional investors and retail investors in Sweden has been so strong. We see this as a confirmation of the strong faith in Recipharm's chances to grow and successfully exploit the business opportunities that the market offers a first class CDMO in the pharmaceutical industry."

#### Lars Backsell, CoB, comments:

"From being a small entrepreneurial company created by two enthusiasts almost 20 years ago, Recipharm has grown up and developed into a large listed company with approximately 5,000 new shareholders. Recipharm enters a new phase, but we as majority owners will together with our new

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Through the company B&E Participation AB.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Over-Allotment Option can be exercised, on one or more occasions, in whole or in part, by the Joint Lead Managers, being responsible for any stabilisation in connection with the Offering during a period of 30 calendar days from and including the first day of trading of the shares at NASDAQ OMX Stockholm.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Trading in Recipharm's shares on NASDAQ OMX Stockholm is up to and including 7 April, 2014 is conditional upon the terms in the Offering being fulfilled.



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shareholders continue to develop the company with the same commitment and dedication, now in a listed environment."

Following completion of the Offering and assuming that the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full, the Principal Shareholders will remain the largest owners with approximately 46 per cent of the shares and 87 per cent of the votes in Recipharm<sup>4</sup>. Recipharm will have approximately 5,000 shareholders.

Carnegie Investment Bank AB (publ) and Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB (publ) are acting as Joint Lead Managers and Joint Bookrunners in connection with the Offering. Swedbank AB (publ) is acting as Co-lead Manager.

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This information is in accordance with the Swedish Securities Market Act, the Swedish Financial Instruments Trading Act and/or the regulations of NASDAQ OMX Stockholm. This information was submitted for publication on 3 April, 2014, at 07.30 CET.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Full conversion of the Company's convertible bond programme, which falls due for repayment on 6 April 2014 if conversion is not requested by 5 April 2014, corresponds to a dilution of 3.77 per cent of the shares and 0.93 per cent of the votes. As per 31 December 2013, the outstanding loan amount was SEK 39.0 million.



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Recipharm is a leading CDMO (Contract Development and Manufacturing Organisation) in the pharmaceutical industry based in Sweden employing some 1,500 employees. Recipharm offers manufacturing services of pharmaceuticals in various dosage forms, production of clinical trial material and pharmaceutical product development. Recipharm currently manufactures more than 200 different products to both Big Pharma and smaller research- and development companies. Recipharm's turnover is approximately SEK 2.1 billion and the Company operates development and manufacturing facilities in Sweden, France, the UK, Germany and Spain and is headquartered near Stockholm.

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