

ASX:NRT
NASDAQ:NVGN

Novogen Ltd
(Company)

ABN 37 063 259 754

Capital Structure

Ordinary Shares on
issue:

429 M

Board of Directors

Mr John O'Connor
Chairman
Non-Executive Director

Mr Bryce Carmine
Deputy Chairman
Non-Executive Director

Dr James Garner
Chief Executive Officer
Managing Director

Mr Ian Phillips MNZM
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Non-Executive Director

Mr Steven Coffey
Non-Executive Director

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Non-Executive Director

ASX RELEASE

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NOVOGEN RECEIVES R&D TAX INCENTIVE CASH REFUND

Sydney, 17 March 2016 – US-Australian drug discovery company, Novogen Limited (ASX:NRT; NASDAQ:NVGN) today announced that it has received a cash refund of \$2.8M from the Australian Taxation Office under the R&D Tax Incentive Program for the financial year ending 30 June 2015. This will support the Company's preparations to progress Cantrixil (TRXE-002-1), its lead superbenzopyran (SBP) drug candidate, to Phase 1 clinical trial in 2016.

According to Novogen CEO, Dr James Garner, it was expected that the Company would continue to comply with the internationally competitive Australian Government tax incentive scheme and receive commensurate cash benefits in future years, enabling Novogen to continue to reinvest in early stage drug initiatives and product development opportunities.

"These funds reinforce the Company's strong financial position as we move towards commencing a Phase 1 clinical trial for Cantrixil in the second half of 2016," Dr Garner said.

"We have completed the necessary GLP toxicology program on Cantrixil to enable a first-in-human study. The final results of that program have been accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) in April 2016. The accepted abstract will be available to view on the Novogen and AACR websites on 15 April 2016. We have also completed large-scale GMP manufacture of the API and the production of sterile drug product for clinical studies is well advanced. The Company continues to expect that these data provide a sound basis to move forward into the clinic. We are currently working with experienced clinicians and expert consultants to finalise the study design," he added.

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About the Cantrixil (TRXE-002-1) drug candidate

Cantrixil is a cyclodextrin-based formulation of the active ingredient, TRXE-002-1, which has shown *in vitro* and *in vivo* anti-cancer activity in a range of tumor types. The Company anticipates that, if approved, the drug

product would be used as an intra-peritoneal chemotherapy, either alone or in combination with other agents, and in one or more cancers of the abdominal cavity (eg ovarian, uterine, colorectal and gastric carcinomas). A first-in-human clinical study is planned to commence in the second half of 2016.

About Novogen Limited

Novogen is an oncology-focused, Australian-US drug development company, traded on both the Australian Securities Exchange (NRT) and on NASDAQ (NVGN). Novogen has two proprietary drug discovery platforms, the superbenzopyrans (SBPs) and the anti-tropomyosins (ATMs), which have provided first-in-class agents with potential application across a range of oncology indications. The Company has three lead molecules Cantrixil, Anisina, and Trilexium, which are in advanced preclinical development for various cancer types, with the most advanced molecule, Cantrixil, slated to enter clinical trials in the second half of 2016. For more information, please visit www.novogen.com.

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