Quantum Biopharma Ltd. Now Trading on Upstream Under QNTM

TORONTO, ON / ACCESSWIRE / January 14, 2025 / Quantum BioPharma Ltd. (NASDAQ:QNTM)(CSE:QNTM)(FRA: 0K91)(Upstream:QNTM) ("**Quantum BioPharma**" or the "**Company**"), a biopharmaceutical company dedicated to building a portfolio of innovative assets and biotech solutions for the treatment of challenging neurodegenerative and metabolic disorders and alcohol misuse disorders with drug candidates in different stages of development, will become available Tuesday, January 14 at 10:00am EST under the ticker symbol 'QNTM' on Upstream, a MERJ Exchange market and global securities trading app. The dual listing on Upstream works to provide international investors around the world with streamlined access to Quantum shares using just an app. Quantum will continue to trade on the Nasdaq, Canadian Securities Exchange and Frankfurt exchanges.

Investors outside the U.S. can now deposit or trade Quantum securities by downloading Upstream from their preferred app store at <u>https://upstream.exchange/</u>, creating an account by tapping sign up, and completing a simple KYC identity verification. Then, investors may either deposit their Quantum shares, or fund their account with credit, debit, PayPal, USD, or USDC to buy Quantum shares. Note, U.S. persons may not deposit, buy, or sell securities on Upstream. Trading will commence when an existing shareholder places an offer for sale on Upstream establishing the first trade.

Details on the Quantum listing and deposit and trading instructions can be found at <u>https://www.quantumbiopharma.com/investors</u>. The Upstream market is open 7 days a week 20 hours a day, Monday to Sunday: 10:00am to 06:00am UTC+4 (1:00am to 9:00pm EST). Traders on Upstream's smart-contract powered market will experience real-time trading and settlement, and a transparent orderbook which does not permit common market manipulations.

Existing global (non-U.S.) shareholders may transfer their shares by opening Upstream, tapping Investor, Manage Securities, Deposit Securities, then entering the ticker symbol and the number of shares to deposit, and tapping Submit. Next, shareholders enter the brokerage firm name and brokerage account number and tap Submit. Finally, they tap Add E-Signature, sign their name on the screen using their finger, tap Done, and then tap Sign. Shareholders will receive via email an executed deposit form to submit to their current brokerage firm to initiate a withdrawal to the transfer agent. Shareholders will receive a push notification once the shares are deposited and available for trading on Upstream.

"We are excited to dual list on Upstream's next generation marketplace," says Zeeshan Saeed, CEO of Quantum. "We are adding new value and liquidity to our shareholders while expanding our company and mission to a modern, global investor-base."

About Quantum BioPharma Ltd.

Quantum BioPharma is a biopharmaceutical company dedicated to building a portfolio of innovative assets and biotech solutions for the treatment of challenging neurodegenerative and

metabolic disorders and alcohol misuse disorders with drug candidates in different stages of development. Through its wholly owned subsidiary, Lucid Psycheceuticals Inc. ("**Lucid**"), Quantum BioPharma is focused on the research and development of its lead compound, Lucid-MS. Lucid-MS is a patented new chemical entity shown to prevent and reverse myelin degradation, the underlying mechanism of multiple sclerosis, in preclinical models. Quantum BioPharma invented UNBUZZDTM and spun out its OTC version to a company, Celly Nutrition Corp. ("**Celly Nutrition**"), led by industry veterans. Quantum BioPharma retains ownership of 25.71% (as of June 30, 2024) of Celly Nutrition at <u>www.unbuzzd.com</u>. The agreement with Celly Nutrition also includes royalty payments of 7% of sales from unbuzzd TM until payments to Quantum BioPharma total \$250 million. Once \$250 million is reached, the royalty drops to 3% in perpetuity. Quantum BioPharma retains 100% of the rights to develop similar products or alternative formulations specifically for pharmaceutical and medical uses. Quantum BioPharma maintains a portfolio of strategic investments through its wholly owned subsidiary, FSD Strategic Investments Inc., which represents loans secured by residential or commercial property.

About Upstream

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Forward-looking information in this press release are based on certain assumptions and expected future events.

These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors, which may cause actual results, performance or achievements to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such statements, including but not limited to additional information relating to Quantum BioPharma, including its annual information form, can be located on the SEDAR+ website at www.sedarplus.ca and on the EDGAR section of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission's website at <u>www.sec.gov</u> for a more complete discussion of such risk factors and their potential effects.

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