# Grown Rogue Reports Second Quarter 2023 Results, Record Operating Cash Flow and Free Cash Flow

- Revenue of \$6.0M compared to \$4.7M in Q2 2022, an increase of 28%
- Operating Cash Flow (OCF), before changes in working capital (BC WC), of \$1.7M compared to \$1.1M in Q2 2022, an increase of 62%
- Free Cash Flow (FCF) of \$1.0M, after \$0.7M in investments in WC and capital expenditures
- Ended quarter with \$3.8M of cash on hand
- Subsequent to quarter-end, announced a strategic advisory agreement with Goodness Growth Holdings (OTC: GDNSF, CSE:GDNS) to focus on improving quality and efficiencies in Goodness' Minnesota and Maryland operations

Medford, Oregon, June 20, 2023 – Grown Rogue International Inc. ("Grown Rogue" or the "Company") (CSE: GRIN) (OTC: GRUSF), a craft cannabis company operating in Oregon and Michigan, is pleased to report its fiscal second quarter 2023 results for the three months ended April 30, 2023. All financial information is provided in U.S. dollars unless otherwise indicated.

## Second Quarter 2023 Financial Summary (\$USD Millions)

Second Quarter 2023 Summary	Q2 2023	Q2 2022	+/- %
Revenue	6.0	4.7	+28%
aEBITDA	2.1	1.3	+64%
aEBITDA %	35.1%	26.7%	+8.4%
OCF (BC WC)	1.7	1.1	+62%
OCF %	29.1%	22.9%	+6.1%

### **Management Commentary**

"This was another exciting quarter with record operating cash flow and free cash flow as we continue to see the tremendous execution exhibited by our team", said Obie Strickler, CEO of Grown Rogue. "Our \$6M+ of revenue was a new company record by more than 18%, highlighting our continued focus on producing high quality cannabis that delights our team and customers. We continue to generate substantial free cash flow margins and are focused on using that capital to bring our products to new markets and expand our consumer base. We are really excited about our recently announced agreement with Goodness Growth to expand our cultivation expertise into additional markets and are encouraged by the positive feedback we are seeing and hearing from those markets. In Q2, we recorded over \$270k in revenue from this agreement, which was more than anticipated as the agreement was not definitive until after the quarter ended. I'm pleased with the success we are seeing so far in Q3 and anticipate strong growth both in Minnesota and from the launch of adult use sales in Maryland on July 1st," continued Mr. Strickler. Our relentless focus on genetics continues to reap benefits in both Oregon and Michigan as we take pride in being tastemakers in the industry. We are proud to be launching new proprietary genetics combined with strain specific packaging in Michigan as well as craft pre-rolls in Oregon in the coming weeks. We believe that our philosophy and practice of

constant iteration and improvement will engender more customer trust and deepen the relationship we have with our existing fans," Mr. Strickler continued.

"Regarding capital allocation, we continue to focus on producing free cash flow to best position ourselves to meet our balance sheet obligations while being prepared for new market opportunities, using only a modest amount on increased working capital. With our internal cash generation and our cash position at the highest ever reported, we feel confident in our ability to take advantage of high-quality opportunities as they arise.

I want to thank the entire Grown Rogue team for their continued efforts and look forward to updating shareholders on our new market efforts in due course."

## Oregon Market Highlights (\$USD Millions)

Oregon	Q2 2023	Q2 2022	+/- %
Revenue	2.9	2.4	+23%
aEBITDA	1.1	0.6	+72%
aEBITDA Margin %	36.9%	26.5%	+10.4%

- #1 Flower brand for eight consecutive quarters, according to LeafLink's MarketScape data
- Focusing on increasing market share by launching craft pre-roll products in Q3 2023
- Total Oregon state indoor wet weight harvested decreased 8% year-over-year, according to the Oregon Liquor and Cannabis Commission while Grown Rogue indoor wet weight harvested increased by 15% year over year

## Michigan Market Highlights (\$USD Millions)

Michigan	Q2 2023	Q2 2022	+/- %
Revenue	2.8	2.3	+21%
aEBITDA	1.3	1.2	+12%
aEBITDA Margin %	45.8%	49.5%	-3.7%

- Pricing per ounce of flower has increased for four straight months, according to the Michigan Cannabis Regulatory Agency
- Launching strain specific packaging in Q3 2023, and anticipate increases in both pricing and product mix of our pre-packaged products

## Michigan operations are through Golden Harvests, LLC.

## Financial Statements and aEBITDA reconciliation

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION	April 30, 2023	October 31, 2022
	\$	\$
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	3,788,815	1,582,384
Accounts receivable (Note 18)	1,778,073	1,643,959
Biological assets (Note 3)	1,767,717	1,199,519
Inventory (Note 4)	2,977,243	3,131,877
Prepaid expenses and other assets	343,364	352,274
Total current assets	10,655,212	7,910,013
Property and equipment (Note 8)	7,809,493	7,734,901
Intangible assets and goodwill (Note 9)	725,668	725,668
TOTAL ASSETS	19,190,373	16,370,582
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	1,609,365	1,821,875
Current portion of lease liabilities (Note 7)	1,044,643	1,025,373
Current portion of long-term debt (Note 10)	1,925,554	1,769,600
Current portion of convertible debentures (Note 11)	209,133	-
Business acquisition consideration payable (Note 5)	360,000	360,000
Unearned revenue	28,409	28,024
Derivative liability (Note 11.1)	992,560	-
Income tax	366,056	311,032
Total current liabilities	6,535,720	5,315,904
Lease liabilities (Note 7)	1,183,113	1,275,756
Long-term debt (Note 10)	289,854	839,222
Convertible debentures (Note 11)	1,089,595	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES	9,098,282	7,430,882
EQUITY		
Share capital (Note 12)	21,894,633	21,858,827
Shares issuable (Note 12)	-	35,806
Contributed surplus (Notes 13, 14)	6,656,277	6,505,092
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(112,923)	(109,613)
Accumulated deficit	(19,118,617)	(21,356,891)
Equity attributable to shareholders	9,319,370	6,933,221
Non-controlling interests (Note 22)	772,721	2,006,479
TOTAL EQUITY	10,092,091	8,939,700
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	19,190,373	16,370,582

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	NTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME Three months ended April 3	
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Revenue		
Product sales	5,733,497	4,700,127
Service revenue	271,140	-
Total revenue	6,004,637	4,700,127
Cost of goods sold		
Cost of finished cannabis inventory sold	(3,064,557)	(2,165,447)
Costs of service revenue	(125,424)	-
Gross profit, excluding fair value items	2,814,656	2,534,680
Realized fair value amounts in inventory sold	(637,063)	(981,113)
Unrealized fair value gain on growth of biological assets	419,874	670,135
Gross profit	2,597,467	2,223,702
Expenses		
Accretion expense	199,773	137,792
Amortization of property and equipment	67,820	239,683
General and administrative	1,407,521	1,469,533
Share-based compensation	95,563	30,999
Total expenses	1,770,677	1,878,007
Income from operations	826,790	345,695
Other income and (expense)		
Interest expense	(94,063)	(110,901)
Other income (expense)	169,923	(1,366)
Unrealized loss on marketable securities	-	(19,082)
Unrealized loss on derivative liability	(270,712)	-
Loss on disposal of property and equipment	-	-
Gain from operations before taxes	631,938	214,346
Income tax	(219,959)	(69,612)
Net income	411,979	144,734
Other comprehensive income (items that may be		
subsequently reclassified to profit & loss)		
Currency translation loss	(1,888)	(2,033)
Total comprehensive income	410,091	142,701
Gain per share attributable to owners of the parent – basic and diluted	0.00	0.01
Weighted average shares outstanding – basic	170,832,611	170,444,437
Net income (loss) for the period attributable to:		
Non-controlling interest	(867)	(877,785)
Shareholders	412,846	1,022,519
Net income	411,979	144,734
Comprehensive income (loss) for the period attributable to:		
Non-controlling interest	(867)	(877,785)
Shareholders	410,958	1,020,486
Total comprehensive income	410,091	142,701

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	Six months e 2023	nded April 30, 2022
	\$	\$
Operating activities		
Net income	1,004,516	300,175
Adjustments for non-cash items in net income:		
Amortization of property and equipment	183,459	291,693
Amortization of property and equipment included in costs of inventory sold	760,594	337,627
Unrealized gain on changes in fair value of biological assets	(1,050,746)	(1,959,649)
Changes in fair value of inventory sold	1,243,778	1,991,591
Share-based compensation	-	21,264
Stock option expense	151,185	75,139
Accretion expense	363,881	289,479
Loss on disposal of property & equipment	168,144	6,250
Unrealized loss on marketable securities	-	186,886
Loss on fair value of derivative liability	206,352	-
Effects of foreign exchange	(958)	3,407
	3,030,205	1,543,862
Changes in non-cash working capital (Note 15)	(703,416)	(743,676)
Net cash provided by operating activities	2,326,789	800,186
Investing activities		
Purchase of property and equipment and intangibles	(465,333)	(480,690)
Payments of acquisition payable	-	(2,000)
Net cash used in investing activities	(465,333)	(482,690)
Financing activities		
Proceeds from convertible debentures	2,000,000	-
Proceeds from long-term debt	-	100,000
Proceeds from private placement	-	1,300,000
Repayment of long-term debt	(614,713)	(392,439)
Repayment of convertible debentures	(60,000)	
Payments of lease principal	(980,312)	(622,042)
Net cash provided by financing activities	344,975	385,519
Change in cash	2,206,431	703,015
Cash balance, beginning	1,582,384	1,114,033
Cash balance, ending	3,788,815	1,817,048

SEGMENTED aEBITDA – THREE MONTHS ENDED					
	Oregon	Michigan	Services	Corporate	Consolidated
Sales revenues	2,908,715	2,824,782	271,140	-	6,004,637
Costs of goods sold, excluding fair value ("FV") adjustments	(1,777,512)	(1,287,045)	(125,424)	-	(3,189,981)
Gross profit before fair value adjustments	1,131,203	1,537,737	145,716	-	2,814,656
Net fair value adjustments	(90,291)	(126,898)	-	-	(217,189)
Gross profit	1,040,912	1,410,839	145,716	-	2,597,467
Operating expenses:					

o E D I	TDA margin %	36.9%	45.8%	53.7%		35.1%
aEBI	TDA	1,074,365	1,293,834	145,716	(404,041)	2,109,874
	Golden Harvests					30,000
	Costs associated with acquisition of				30,000	
	Compliance costs				18,784	18,784
Add	back to EBITDA:					
EBIT	DA	1,074,365	1,293,834	145,716	(452,825)	2,061,090
	Income tax expense	9,000	210,959			219,959
	Unrealized gain on derivative liability				270,712	270,712
	Share-based compensation				95,563	95,563
	Amortization of property and equipment	24,501	19,237		24,082	67,820
	Interest and accretion expense	78,477	52,578		162,781	293,836
	Amortization of property & equipment included in cost of sales	308,481	175,551			484,032
	Net FV adjustments in costs of goods sold	90,291	126,898			217,189
Add	back (deduct) from net income after tax:	00 204	426,000			247.400
	income after tax	563,615	708,611	145,716	(1,005,963)	411,979
	Income tax	9,000	210,959	-	-	219,959
Net	income (loss) before income tax	572,615	919,570	145,716	(1,005,963)	631,938
	Other income and expense	171,573	-		(1,650)	169,923
	Unrealized loss on derivative liability	-	-	-	(270,712)	(270,712)
	Interest and accretion	(78,477)	(52,578)	-	(162,781)	(293,836)
Othe	er income and expense:					
	Share based compensation	-	-	-	95,563	95,563
	Depreciation and amortization	24,501	19,237	-	24,082	67,820
	General and administration	536,892	419,454	-	451,175	1,407,521

#### NOTES:

- 1. The Company's "Free cash flow" metric is defined by cash flow from operations minus capital expenditures.
- 2. The Company's "aEBITDA," or "Adjusted EBITDA," is a non-IFRS measure used by management that does not have any prescribed meaning by IFRS and that may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. The Company defines "EBITDA" as the Company's net income or loss for a period, as reported, before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, and is further adjusted to remove transaction costs, stock-based compensation expense, accretion expense, gain (loss) on derecognition of derivative liabilities, the effects of fair-value accounting for biological assets and inventory, as well as other non-cash items and items not representative of operational performance as reported in net income (loss). Adjusted EBITDA is defined as EBITDA adjusted for the impact of various significant or unusual transactions. The Company believes that this is a useful metric to evaluate its operating performance.

## **NON-IFRS FINANCIAL MEASURES**

EBITDA and aEBITDA are non-IFRS measures and do not have standardized definitions under IFRS. The Company has provided the non-IFRS financial measures, which are not calculated or presented in accordance with IFRS, as supplemental information and in addition to the financial measures that are calculated and presented in accordance with IFRS. These supplemental non-IFRS financial measures are presented because management has evaluated the financial results both including and excluding the adjusted items and believe that the supplemental non-IFRS financial measures presented provide additional perspective and insights when analyzing the core operating performance of the business. These supplemental non-IFRS financial measures should not be considered superior to, as a substitute for or as an alternative to, and should only be considered in conjunction with, the IFRS financial measures presented herein. Accordingly, the following information provides reconciliations of the supplemental non-IFRS financial measures, presented herein to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with IFRS.

## **About Grown Rogue**

Grown Rogue International (CSE: GRIN | OTC: GRUSF) is a craft cannabis company focused on delighting customers with premium flower and flower-derived products at fair prices. Our roots are in Southern Oregon where we have demonstrated our capabilities in the highly competitive and discerning Oregon market and, more recently, we successfully expanded our platform to Michigan. We combine our passion for product and value with a disciplined approach to growth, prioritizing profitability and return on capital. Our strategy is to pursue capital efficient methods to expand into new markets, bringing our craft quality and value to more consumers. We also continue to make modest investments to improve our outdoor craft cultivation capabilities in preparation for eventual interstate commerce.

#### **FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This press release contains statements which constitute "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable securities laws, including statements regarding the plans, intentions, beliefs and current expectations of the Company with respect to future business activities. Forward- looking information is often identified by the words "may," "would," "could," "should," "will," "intend," "plan," "anticipate," "believe," "estimate," "expect" or similar expressions and include information regarding: (i) statements regarding the future direction of the Company (ii) the ability of the Company to successfully achieve its business and financial objectives, (iii) plans for expansion of the Company and securing applicable regulatory approvals, and (iv) expectations for other economic, business, and/or competitive factors. Investors are cautioned that forward-looking information is not based on historical facts but instead reflect the Company's management's expectations, estimates or projections concerning the business of the Company's future results or events based on the opinions, assumptions and estimates of management considered reasonable at the date the statements are made. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in such forwardlooking information are reasonable, such information involves risks and uncertainties, and undue reliance should not be placed on such information, as unknown or unpredictable factors could have material adverse effects on future results, performance or achievements of the combined company. Among the key factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking information are the following: changes in general economic, business and political conditions, including changes in the financial markets; and in particular in the ability of the Company to raise debt and equity capital in the amounts and at the costs that it expects; adverse changes in the public perception of cannabis; decreases in the prevailing prices for cannabis and cannabis products in the markets that the Company operates in; adverse changes in applicable laws; or adverse changes in the application or enforcement of current laws; compliance with extensive government regulation and related costs, and other risks described in the Company's public disclosure documents filed on Sedar.

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The Company is indirectly involved in the manufacture, possession, use, sale and distribution of cannabis in the recreational cannabis marketplace in the United States through its indirect operating subsidiaries. Local state laws where its subsidiaries operate permit such activities however, these activities are currently illegal under United States federal law. Additional information regarding this and other risks and uncertainties relating to the Company's business are disclosed in the Company's Listing Statement filed on its issuer profile on SEDAR at <a href="https://www.sedar.com">www.sedar.com</a>. Should one or more of these risks, uncertainties or other factors materialize, or should assumptions underlying the forward-looking information or forward-looking statements prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those described herein as intended, planned, anticipated, believed, estimated or expected.

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