### CHEMISTREE TECHNOLOGY INC.

(the "Company")

## **Investment Policy**

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### Summary

The Company is a publicly traded investment company whose primary objective is to invest its funds for purposes of generating returns from capital appreciation and investment income. It intends to accomplish these goals through the identification of and investment in securities of private and publicly listed entities that are involved in a variety of industries, including, but not limited to, opportunities in the cannabis, technology, health care, biotechnology, medical technology or related consumer products fields

Investments will be acquired and held for short-term gains, income generation, or long-term capital appreciation, dependent upon the specific investment. The paramount goal of the Company will be to generate maximum returns from its investments.

The composition of the Company's investment portfolio will vary over time depending on its assessment of a number of factors, including the performance of its investments, developments in existing and potential markets, and risk assessment. The Company's investment objectives, investment strategy and investment restrictions may be amended from time to time on the recommendation of the investment committee or senior management and approval by the Board. The Company's board of directors reserves the right and authority to change the general or specific focus of the Company's investments over time; and reserves the right to diversify the Company's portfolio of investments by industry, geography, and investment type without prior announcement or notice being given.

The Company anticipates re-investing the profits realized from its investments to further the growth and development of the Company's investment portfolio. The declaration and payment of dividends to shareholders will become a priority once Company has achieved steady or continuous cash flow from its investments.

#### Investment Objectives

The principal investment objectives of the Company are as follows:

- to seek high return investment opportunities by investing directly in a variety of securities or interests of public and private companies and assisting in early stage projects by providing financial support;
- to identify early stage opportunities with attractive risk/reward ratios;
- to preserve its capital and limit the downside risk of its capital;
- to achieve a reasonable rate of capital appreciation;
- to minimize the risk associated with each form of investment; and
- to seek liquidity in its investments.

## **Investment Strategy**

In light of the numerous investment opportunities across the entire landscape, the Company aims to adopt a flexible approach to investment targets without placing unnecessary limits on potential returns on its investment. This approach is demonstrated in the Company's proposed investment strategy set out below.

To achieve the investment objectives as stated above, while mitigating risk, the Company, when appropriate, shall employ the following disciplines:

- The Company will obtain detailed knowledge of the relevant business in which the investment will be made, as well as the target company ("Investee").
- The Company will seek to retain management or consultants having specific industry expertise within the industry or sector in which an investment is contemplated or has been made.
- The Company will work closely with the Investee's management and board, and in some cases, assist in sourcing experienced and qualified persons to add to the board and/or management of the Investee. In certain circumstances, a representative of the Company may be appointed to an Investee's board of directors.
- Investments may include:
  - o equity, bridge loans, secured loans, unsecured loans, convertible debentures, warrants and options, royalties, streaming investments, net profit interests and other hybrid instruments;
  - o acquisitions, partnership interests, or joint venture interests with Investees;
  - o acquisition of a business or its assets, directly or via a wholly owned subsidiary, and subsequent managing or assisting in developing the underlying business;
  - capital investment in private companies, and assistance in moving them to an acquisition or merger transaction with a larger company or to the public stage through initial public offering, reverse takeover or other liquidity event;
  - o early stage equity investments in public companies believed to have favourable management and business; and
  - o where appropriate, acting as a third party advisor for opportunities in target or other companies, in exchange for a fee.
- The Company will have flexibility on the return sought, while seeking to recapture its capital within a reasonable period following the initial investment(s).
- The Company will seek to maintain the ability to actively review and monitor all of its investments
  on an ongoing basis. Investees will be required to provide continuous disclosure of operations and
  financial status. From time to time, the Company may insist on board or management representation
  on Investees.
- The Company will continually seek liquidity opportunities for its investments, with a view to
  optimizing the return on its investment; recognizing that no two investments will be alike in terms
  of the duration held or the best means of exiting an investment.
- The Company may acquire interests in Investees within the framework of the above guidelines, which from time to time may result in the Company holding a control or complete ownership position in an Investee.

• The Company may utilize the services of both independent organizations and securities dealers to gain additional information on target investments where appropriate.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, from time to time, the Board may authorize such investments outside of these disciplines as it sees fit for the benefit of the Company and its shareholders.

Pending investment of available funds, monies will be held in bank or trust accounts with Schedule 1 financial institutions.

# Composition of Investment Portfolio

*Principal Targets*: The Company is employing an agnostic to industry approach to its investment target type in order to ensure quality investment opportunities are not disqualified. However, management and board will apply a moral suitability analysis in conjunction with the regular investment assessment criteria.

Composition: The actual composition of the Company's investment portfolio will vary over time depending on its assessment of a number of factors, including the global development of the cannabis industry. Management will not be bound or restricted as to the geographic, percentage diversity, number of investments, or other restrictive parameters; but may exercise flexibility in its approach to and investment of available funds.

*Types*: The Company will maintain a flexible position with respect to the form of investments taken, and may employ a wide range of investment instruments, including equity, bridge loans, secured loans, unsecured loans, convertible debentures, warrants and options, joint ventures, partnerships, net profit interests and other hybrid instruments.

Jurisdictions: While the Company initially intends to focus on investments in North America, but acknowledges that the industries and sectors in which it intends to invest may become global in nature, and as such anticipates that a material percentage of its investments may be in entities formed in jurisdictions outside of Canada and the United States. All jurisdictions where cannabis is legal will be permissible for investment consideration depending on the risk assessment of the Board and management at the time the investment is made and the risk-reward relationship associated with each investment in a particular jurisdiction, including the purchase of securities listed on foreign stock exchanges.

*Timing:* The timing of the Company's investments will depend, in part, on available capital at any particular time, and the investment opportunities identified and available to the Company. Subject to the availability of capital, the Company intends to create a suitably diversified portfolio of investments and not retain available cash. Management will not be bound or restricted as to the timing to invest available capital; but will seek to fully deploy available capital in as expeditious a manner as possible.

Notwithstanding the above, the Company intends to invest at least 60% of its available capital resources in Investees, in accordance with the investment objectives and strategy outlined herein, at all times (subject to a reasonable period of time following each raising of additional capital and providing for reasonable reserves of cash for budgeted administrative expenditures and a prudent cash reserve.).

Size: The Company will not be bound or restricted as to the overall size of its investment portfolio. The Company may raise additional funds continuously for purposes of expanding its investment portfolio; or may choose to limit its size based on available management time or investment opportunities. Nor will the Company be limited as to the size of any particular investment it may make or the percentage interest any one investment may be of the Company's overall portfolio. As such, the Company may hold a material or majority of its investments in one Investee or a relatively few number of Investees. Further, the Company

will not be limited as to the percentage interest it may hold in any Investee, which may result in the Company holding a control position or even complete ownership of an Investee.

*Investee Structures*: The Company will not be bound or restricted as to the nature or structure of Investees. Investees may be public or private corporations, partnerships, joint ventures or other legal entities.

*Compliance*: The Company will be use its reasonable commercial efforts to ensure that with respect to every investment made by the Company that the Investee is in full compliance with all applicable regulatory requirements enacted by the applicable regulatory authorities in the jurisdiction in which it operates.

## **Procedures and Implementation**

The senior officers and other management of the Company ("Management") and the Company's Board of Directors (the "Board") and the respective members thereof shall work jointly and severally to uncover appropriate investment opportunities. These individuals have a broad range of business experience and their own networks of business partners, financiers, venture capitalists and finders through whom potential investments may be identified.

Prospective investments will be channelled through Management. Management shall make an assessment of whether the proposal fits with the investment and corporate strategy of the Company in accordance with the investment objectives and strategy set out in this policy, and then proceed with preliminary due diligence, leading to a decision to reject or move the proposal to the next stage of detailed due diligence. This process may involve the participation of outside professional consultants.

The Company will obtain detailed knowledge of the relevant business the investment shall be made in, as well as the investee corporation, their management team, quality of asset(s) and risks associated as applicable.

Once a decision has been reached to invest in a particular situation, a summary of the rationale behind the investment decision shall be prepared by Management and submitted to the Board. This summary should include, among other things, the estimated return on investment, timeline of investment, guidelines against which future progress can be measured, and risks associated with the investment. The summary should also disclose any finder's or agent's fees payable.

All investments shall be submitted to the Board for final approval. Management will select all investments for submission to the Board and monitor the Company's investment portfolio on an ongoing basis, and will be subject to the direction of the Board. Management will present an overview of the state of the investment portfolio to the Board on a quarterly basis.

Negotiation of terms of participation is a key determinant of the ultimate value of any opportunity to the Company. Negotiations may be ongoing before and after the performance of due diligence. The representative(s) of the Company involved in these negotiations will be determined in each case by the circumstances of the investment opportunity.

# **Compliance**

All investments shall be made in compliance with applicable laws in relevant jurisdictions, and shall be made in accordance with and governed by the rules and policies of applicable regulatory authorities.

From time to time, the Board may authorize such additional investments outside of the guidelines described herein as it sees fit for the benefit of the Company and its shareholders.

## Management Participation

The Company may, from time to time, seek a more active role in the corporations in which it invests, and provide such corporations with financial and personnel resources, as well as strategic counsel. The Company may also ask for board representation in cases where it makes a significant investment in the business of an investee corporation. The Company's nominee(s) shall be determined by the Board as appropriate in such circumstances.

### Fund Status

The Company will aim to structure its investments in such a way as to not be deemed either an Investment Fund or Mutual Fund, as defined by applicable securities laws, thereby avoiding the requirement to register as a fund or investment advisor.

## **Conflicts of Interest**

The Company has no restrictions with respect to investing in corporations in which a Board member may already have an interest. Any potential investments where there is a material conflict of interest involving an employee, officer or director of the Company may only proceed after receiving approval from the disinterested directors of the Board. The Company is also subject to the "related party" transaction policies of the CSE, which mandates disinterested shareholder approval and valuations to certain transactions.

Prior to making any investment commitment, the Company shall adopt procedures for checking for potential conflicts of interest, which shall include but not be limited to a circulation of the names of a potential target corporation and its affiliates to the Board and Management.

All members of the Board shall be obligated to disclose any interest in the potential investment. In the event a conflict is detected, the target corporation shall be notified of the potential conflict in writing. The members of the Board and its advisors shall be responsible for detecting a potential conflict.

Where a conflict is determined to exist within Management or the Board, the individual having a conflicting interest shall provide full disclosure of their interest in the potential investment and, if such person is a Board member, shall abstain from voting on the investment decision but may participate in discussions regarding the potential investment opportunity.

The members of the Board and Management and their respective affiliates (collectively the "Parties") are or may be involved in other financial, investment and professional activities which may on occasion cause a conflict of interest with their duties to the Company. These include serving as directors, officers, promoters, advisers or agents of other public and private corporations, including corporations in which the Company may invest. The Parties may also engage in transactions with the Company where any one or more of the Parties is acting in their capacity as financial advisor, broker, intermediary, principal, or counterparty, provided that such transactions are carried out on terms similar to those which would apply in a similar transaction between persons not connected with the Parties or any one of them and such transactions are carried out on normal commercial terms as if negotiated at arm's length.

## <u>Amendment</u>

The Company's investment objectives, strategy and restrictions and other provisions of this Investment Policy may be amended from time to time on the recommendation of Management and approval by the Board. Unless required by the TSX Venture Exchange, approval by the Company's shareholders of any such amendments is not required.

# **Dividends**

The Company does not anticipate the declaration of dividends to shareholders during its initial stages and plans to reinvest the profits of its investments to further the growth and development of the Company's investment portfolio. As part of the Company's overall objective of maximizing returns on its investments, it will seek to maximize value to its shareholders. As such the declaration and payment of dividends to shareholders may become a priority once Company has achieved steady or continuous cash flow from its investments.