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Aion Therapeutic Announces Closing of First Tranche of Non-Brokered Private Placement Offering of Units

TORONTO, ONTARIO – September 20, 2024 – Aion Therapeutic Inc. (CSE: AION) ("Aion Therapeutic" or the "**Company**") is pleased to announce that it has closed the first tranche (the "**First Tranche**") of its nonbrokered private placement offering (the "**Offering**") of units ("**Units**") as previously announced on August 23, 2024.

In connection with the closing of the First Tranche, the Company Issued 22,000,000 Units at a price of \$0.011 per Unit, for total gross proceeds of \$242,000.

Each Unit consists of one common share ("**Share**") and one half of one common share purchase warrant ("**Warrant**"). Each full Warrant will be exercisable to acquire one Share ("**Warrant Share**") for a period of eighteen months following the closing of the Offering, at an exercise price of \$0.05 per Warrant Share.

The Company intends to use the proceeds of the Offering for general working capital purposes. All securities issued in connection with the Offering will be subject to a four month and one day hold as required under applicable securities laws.

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About Aion Therapeutic Inc.

Aion Therapeutic is a forward-thinking business within the health and wellness sector with a diverse portfolio of intellectual property. With a commitment to innovation and transformative solutions, the Company is poised to drive positive change to redefine the boundaries of health and wellness.

Toppen, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Aion Therapeutic, is a US-based innovative health and wellness company dedicated to delivering state-of-the-art water filtration solutions. With a focus on innovation, affordability, and sustainability, Toppen's water filtration solutions are designed to meet the diverse needs of consumers, businesses, and industries around the world as they strive to provide access to clean

and safe water.

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