



## **NLS Pharmaceuticals Ltd. Announces Notice of Allowance of a new Technology Patent Covering Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder & Narcolepsy**

**Switzerland/Stans, January 21, 2021** - NLS Pharmaceuticals Ltd. (NLS), a Swiss biotech firm focusing on the development of novel treatments of rare neurological diseases including narcolepsy, idiopathic hypersomnia and Kleine-Levin Syndrome and of neurodevelopmental disorders, such as Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), announced today that the European Patent Office (EPO) issued a Notice of Intention to Grant NLS's patent application covering a novel formulation of mazindol for treatment of ADHD and sleep related disorders. On November 23, 2020, the Canadian Intellectual Property Office (CIPO) issued a similar notice of allowance for the counterpart Canadian application. NLS awaits the impending grant of the European and Canadian patents.

European Application No. 17724102, entitled "A MAZINDOL IR/SR MULTILAYER TABLET AND ITS USE FOR THE TREATMENT OF ATTENTION DEFICIT/HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)", has been examined and allowed for issuance as a patent by the EPO on January 21, 2021. The allowed claims cover an invention related to a modified-release composition of mazindol and its use in the treatment of attention deficit disorders (ADD), ADHD or related deficit of alertness (i.e., incoercible sleepiness) or decline of vigilance (i.e., daytime somnolence) or excessive daytime sleepiness (e.g., narcolepsy, idiopathic hypersomnia) in particular in children, adolescents and adults.

### **About NLS Pharmaceuticals Ltd.**

NLS Pharmaceuticals Ltd. is a privately owned, Swiss-based biotech firm focusing on the development of new treatments for sleep disorders, such as narcolepsy, ADHD, cognitive impairment and other neurological disorders that remain largely under-diagnosed and for which unmet medical needs are significant. NLS has built a large portfolio of promising non-clinical and clinical-stage compounds, developed by an experienced team of proven experts in ADHD and narcolepsy and working closely with key opinion leaders. NLS' lead compound, mazindol C.R., has received Orphan Drug Designation both in the U.S. and in Europe for treating narcolepsy and completed a phase 2 study in the U.S. in adult subjects with ADHD demonstrating best-in-class efficacy and a favorable safety profile.

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